THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and cooler Tuesday; Wednesday, cloudy.

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STRUGGLE UNPRECEDENTED SINCE WAR BEGAN MAY BE INVOLVED IN NEW BATTLE BEGUN IN THE WEST

Germans, Two Million Strong, May Throw Reinforcements Into Line Now.

BRITISH PUBLIC WARNED

Allies' Great Offensive is Not Slackened, But No New Successes Reported.

Their Drives Checked, With Heavy Losses, Says Berlin.

London, September 27. — The great offensive of the French and British forces against both sides of the elbow joint of the German positions on the western front has not slackened, but General Joffre's afternoon bulletin reported no new outstanding success. The British official statement told briefly of heavy losses inflicted on the Germans northwest of Hulluch, where heavy German counter attacks were carried out during the day.

Berlin maintains that by means of counter-attacks the Allies' drives have been checked with heavy loss, but, as the Germans make no claim of having recovered the ground taken from them, the indications are that the Allied gains on Saturday and Sunday have been generally maintained, and at some points improved, and that the fighting has reached the stage of vicious attack and counter attack, which may persist for

Allies' Claim 23,000 Prisoners.

It is estimated that the prisoners captured by the Allies during the rush will reach a total of more than 23,000 but this is offset to some extent by the German claims that nearly 7,000 French and British fell into their hands.

Denied further news of the great battle, England is awaiting developments with an eagerness not equalled since the critical days when the Germans fell back from the gates of Paris. In the meantime the public is warned to expert heavy losses and that the Germans, already two million strong from the coast to the Swiss frontier, may throw reinforcements into the line for a struggle, the like of which even this bloody war has not yet been seen.

Optimists also are reminded that the Germans are likely to put the most dependence on their second and third line defenses relying upon machine guns and comparatively few men to hold the front line, which means that a difficult task is before the Allies.

No Important Change in East.

The fighting in the eastern theatre has brought no important change, but England regards the position of the Russian arms as improving daily, which strengthens the hope here that Germany dare not weaken her seven-hundred-mile front in order to fill the gaps in the West.

The Bulgarian situation remains obscure, resting, as it did last week, on the oft-repeated assurance of Sofia that the country intends merely to maintain an armed neutrality.

GERMANY NOT SURPRISED

Berlin Paper Says Allied Offensive Possibly More for Political Effect.

Berlin, (via London), Sept. 28.—The Berlin newspapers are devoting much space to the "great offensive" in the West. The tone of the comment is one

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GERMAN MOVEMENT IN EAST WEAKENS

Strides Into Russian Territory Gradually Shorten.

FAIL TO TRAP RUSSIANS

Assaults Upon Dvinsk Checked by General Ruzsky and Operations at a Standstill—Germans are Re-Grouping Forces.

Petrograd, via London, Sept. 27.—The German aggressiveness on the eastern front has become noticeably weaker during the past few days. With the increasing extent of their penetration of Russian territory, the impetuous strides with which the Germans for a time made fast headway against the Russians carrying everything before them, have been gradually shortening up. At the same time, the Russian opposition, with the replenishment of the army's military supplies, is growing daily more stubborn and resort is being had to bayonet attacks with apparently all the confidence and vigor that carried the Russian arms last winter to the forests of the Carpathians.

The efforts made to trap the Russian armies retreating from Vilna failed. The assaults upon Dvinsk have been checked by the brilliant defense of General Ruzsky and the operations here have come to a temporary standstill due to the exhaustion of both combatants after days of battling.

Attacks Continue Around Dvinsk.

"Somewhat quieter," is the comment of the Russian general staff on the situation around Dvinsk, but German attacks continue at various points. During the last few days their greatest efforts have been made in the vicinity of Lake Drisitiata, directly south of Dvinsk where General Ruzsky threw them back from the town of that name.

The Russian staff has information that the Germans have undertaen a new grouping of their forces for an extensive flanking operation from the direction of Novogrodek, southeast toward Nessvige and Slutsk, on the highway to Bobrysk, the principal crossing of the great Beresina, between Borizow and the junction of the Beresina and the Dneiper. This region is comparatively unencumbered with marshes and forests and offers favorable terrain for such maneuvers.

East of Vilna stubborn battles are raging in the region of Vielika, where the Germans have succeeded in advancing northward of Vielika to the eastward of the railway running frob Molodechno to Vielika and Polotsk. Battles also are progressing southwese of Vielika.

Check Russian Progress.

From Lida and the Gawia river the Germans have succeeded in moving eastward to the village of Idie, where they brought heavy artillery into action. This put a stop to the progress of the Russians toward the village of Podgurie. By intensive operations there the Teutons evidently are trying to flank the forested regions between

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FORMAL RECALL OF DUMBA TO BE MADE

Vienna Foreign Office Notifies Ambassador Penfield.

NOTE BEING PREPARED

When It is Received the United States Will Arrange Safe Conduct Home for the Ambassador—Close the Incident.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Dr. Constantin Dumba, Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States, will be formally recalled by his government, according to assurances given American Ambassador Penfield at the Vienna foreign office. Mr. Penfield had been instructed to make clear informally that "leave of absence" for Dumba would not satisfy the request of the United States in its formal note asking for the recall of Dr. Dumba.

Mr. Penfield was advised that the wishes of the United States would be complied with. A note on the subject is being prepared, and immediately upon its receipt safe conduct home for Dr. Dumba will be arranged and the incident, so far as the United States is concerned, will be closed. Until formal notification of Dr. Dumba's recall is received, State Department officials will make no announcement. They are ready, however, to hurry negotiations for the safe conduct the moment satisfactory word arrives from Vienna in order that Dr. Dumba may sail on the steamer Rotterdam this week in accordance with his plans.

Written assurances that Madam Dumba could proceed without fear of interference from British or French authorities was mailed Saturday, the Allied embassies having notified the department that safe conduct was superfluous in the case of a non-combatant.

MRS. JAMES J. BRITT DEAD.

Wife of Tenth District Congressman Dies at Asheville Home.

Asheville, N. C., September 27. — Mrs. Mary Moseley Britt, wife of Congressman James J. Britt, of the Tenth North Carolina district, died at her home here this afternoon, following an illness of several weeks. Death was due to typhoid fever and a complication of diseases. Mrs. Britt is survived by a husband, eight children, five brothers and two sisters. The funeral will be conducted in this city tomorrow.

RECORD IN COTTON SEED OIL

For Length and Amount of Business Transacted—53,000 Barrels.

New York, Sept. 27.—All records for the length and amount of business transacted on any one call in the cotton seed oil market went by the board today when more than 53,000 barrels were traded in. Following the previous advance this month of 85 to 99 points, prices today made a further gain of 24 to 49 points, representing an advance of over a cent a pound since September 1.

PRESIDENT WELCOMES UNION ARMY VETERANS

Grand Army of the Republic Gathers in Washington.

Ten Thousand Registered at Camp Matthew G. Emery and Thousands More Expected—Many Confederate Veterans There.

Washington, Sept. 27—President Wilson welcomed to Washington tonight the Grand Army of the Republic. It was the first day of the 49th reunion of the Union army and they sent to the White House Lieut. Col. David J. Palmer, their commander-in-chief, and his staff. The President gave a cordial greeting prophetic of next Wednesday, when he will review the remnant of the Union host that made Pennsylvania avenue historical in 1865.

Tonight the old soldiers fraternized in illumined streets with survivors of the Confederacy, many of whom have come by special invitation to join in the 50th anniversary of American peace. Ten thousand veterans of the Union army had registered tonight at Camp Matthew G. Emery.

Thousands more are expected during the night and preparations had been made for entertaining a crowd that will rival any inauguration assemblage.

There was no formal programme today except the dedication of the headquarters building and the call on the President by the commander-in-chief. Informal activities, however, were many, including inspection by the veterans of naval destroyers and submarines anchored in the Potomac river.

Tomorrow night President Wilson is to address the assembled posts at the first general session.

JUTE TWINE INSTEAD OF COTTON TO BE USED

Postoffice Department Places Contract for $247,000.

Bid for Jute Was $0.099 Per Pound, While Cotton Twine Used at Present Costs $0.1323—Contract For Year.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Jute instead of cotton twine will be used by the Postoffice Department during the year beginning November 1 for tying letters. The contract for furnishing jute has been awarded the Ludlow Manufacturing Association, of Boston, Mass., at $0.099 per pound, deemed to the lowest bid for furnishing either jute or cotton submitted to the department. Cotton is being used this year at $0.1323.

The cotton twine bidders were: Beaumont Manufacturing Company, Spartanburg, S. C., at $0.1687; Glencoe Cotton Mills, Columbia, S. C., at $0.165, and the Lancaster Cotton Mills, Lancaster, S. C., at $0.16885.

Subsequent to the opening of the bids, the Lancaster Mills was permitted upon its request to withdraw its bid.

During the year 2,500,000 pounds of jute twine will be used by the department. Cotton now is being used. The jute contract amounts to $247,000.

Shreveport, La., Sept. 27.—Bobby Waugh, of Fort Worth, Texas was given the decision tonight over Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, on a foul in the sixth round of a scheduled 15-round bout.

AMERICAN KILLED IN HAITIEN FIGHT

Ten Other Marines Wounded in Sunday's Conflict

FIFTY HAITIENS KILLED

Details of the Fighting Have Reached the Navy Department from Admiral Caperton—Quiet Has Been Restored.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Details of fighting between natives and American forces near Cape Haitien yesterday, in which one marine was killed, ten were wounded and more than 50 Haitiens were killed, reached the Navy Department today in messages from Rear Admiral Caperton. The marine patrols had been sent out to clear the lines of supply from Cape Haitien to the interior.

Two patrols were sent out Sunday and after the expedition reached Haut Vu Cap firing became general and both patrols were engaged. About 50 natives were killed. The patrols returned to Cape Haitien last night and Admiral Caperton reported the supply routes had been completely cleared of hostile forces.

A later message said Captain Underwood led an expedition of 50 mounted marines to Petit Riviere and Delarte Bonite Sunday and encountered 150 armed Haitiens. They were driven into the hills after a vigorous skirmish in which one marine and two natives were killed and three natives were wounded.

The marines are holding the two towns where quiet has been restored.

Among the wounded marines was Private Frederick William Remani, who enlisted at Norfolk.

DIRECTED TO MAKE INQUIRY.

As to Whether Americans Have Suffered in Outrages in Turkey.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople, today was instructed to inquire into reported outrages against Armenians in Turkey, to ascertain if any victims are American citizens by birth or naturalization. So far, nothing has been received from the embassy at Constantinople to indicate that American citizens have suffered, but American mission property has been taxed and threatened with confiscation. The reported murder of two American missionaries still is unconfirmed.

War News at a Glance

The third day of the "great offensive" of the French and British forces in the West saw no abatement in the fighting; indeed, the battle probably has taken on a more desperate character, for the Germans, by numerous and vicious counter attacks, have been endeavoring to regain their lost ground, and have inaugurated an offensive movement in the Argonne forest which, official reports indicate, is being carried out with quite as much dash and determination as the French thrust in Champagne, though not so effectively.

The British and Germans are heavily engaged in the regions of Hulluch and Loos between LaBassee and Lens. On the northern end of the line in Belgium the Germans are bombarding the Belgium positions and various towns. The German counter attacks northwest of Hulluch have been repulsed with heavy losses, according to British official report, which adds that to the east of Loos the British offensive is progressing.

In Champagne, where the French gains extended over a 15-mile front to a depth of from two-thirds of a mile to two and a half miles, the troops of the republic are in strong positions before the second line of German defenses, which they are still pounding with their heavy artillery.

The German attack on the French lines in the Argonne was preceded by a violent bombardment. Then the infantry charged and at some points gained the first line of the French position. Everywhere else along the front, Paris declares, the Germans were repulsed.

In Berlin the outcome of the battles now in progress in the West is looked forward to with confidences. Officially it is asserted that the offensive southeast of Lille has been stopped and that north and south of Loos and near Souchez heavy British attacks have been put down with sanguinary losses.

Of the fighting between Rheims and the Argonne forest, the German communication says the French have been able to make no further progress and that to the north of Beasjour and east of the Aisne French attacks failed with heavy casualities. Nothing is said of the Argonne encounter.

On the eastern front, in the vicinity of Dvinsk the Germans report the capture of another Russian position and the taking of nine officers and more than 1,300 men prisoners. Fighting continues along the entire Eastern front. Vienna says the Russian counter offensive in the Volhynian fortress triangle has been broken and that the Russians are in retreat.

Recent fighting along the Gallipoli peninsula has been confined mainly to attacks by aircraft, to bombardments and to mining.

The situation in the Balkans has not been definitely straightened out. A semi-official dispatch from Berlin gives a Sofia rumor that the Bulgarian government has sent an ultimatum to Serbia and that the diplomatic representatives of the entente powers are preparing to depart from the Bulgarian capital. The Rumanian cabinet has decided that there shall be no modification in its mobilization and that the Rumanion troops will remain concentrated along the national frontiers.

31 KILLED; 200 INJURED TOWN WRECKED AND FIRED

Results of Explosion of 250-Barrel Tank Car of Gasoline in Heart of Business District of Ardmore, Okla.—Many Buildings Shaken Down and Burning Fluid is Thrown in Every Direction, Starting Scores of Fires, Which Are Later Subdued.

Ardmore, Okla., Sept. 27.—At least 31 persons were killed and it is estimated two hundred others were injured seriously here this afternoon when a 250 barrel tank car of gasoline exploded in the heart of the business district. The force of the explosion shook down many buildings and threw burning gasoline in every direction. A few minutes later Ardmore was at the mercy of scores of fires. At 8 o'clock the fires were under control an dthe city was under martial law.

The property loss is estimated at $500,000.

Fifty Persons Believed in Ruins.

Fifty persons are believed to have been crushed or burned to death while pinned under the debris of stores, wholesale houses and the Ardmore railroad station. Search among the ruins was proceeding methodically tonight, the workers centering their efforts on the mass of lumber and bricks which had been a department store, and where it was feared the bodies of many girls and women shoppers and employees would be found.

A score of fires caused by the flaming liquid which was thrown for blocks when the car, which contained 250 barrels of gasoline, exploded, were gotten under control after two hours' work by the small local fire department, aided by every able-bodied man in the city not assisting the injured. The city was placed under martial law.

Private homes were immediately thrown open to the injured and scores of men were working tonight in the smoldering ruins along Main street, in search for additional victims. Not a building on Main street escaped damage, either as a result of the force of the explosion or of the fires following.

All school buildings, business houses and residences within twelve blocks of the business district, bear evidence of the explosion and practically every window in the city was shattered by its force.

Ignited by Spark From Hammer.

Two workmen were busy repairing the tank at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Suddenly one of them struck it with a hammer. A spark from the blow ignited fumes escaping through a small leak. There was a terrific explosion, followed by many smaller ones. The workmen were blown to pieces. The shock shattered the Ardmore railroad station, used by the Santa Fe, Frisco and Rock Island railroads and the Rook Island freight station and scores of other buildings quickly took fire from the flying liquid.

The flames spread rapidly until all of Main street appeared a roaring furnace. Thirty freight cars in the Santa Fe railroad yards were destroyed. The pall of smoke hanging over the whole city prevented rescuers from doing effective work.

The roof of the Whittington hotel was blown off by the force of the fire explosion, but all guests were believed to have saved their lives. At the store of Maddin & Co. scores of girls were working and it was feared tonight some of them lost their lives.

Many Heroic Deeds.

Deeds of heroism were many. A woman waiting at the railroad station with a baby in her arms and a four-year-old child at her side, dashed three blocks with her double burden, her own clothes blazing as she ran. Passersby smothered the flames with their bare hands. The mother was taken to the hospital dangerously burned. The children were not seriously injured.

For five hours after the explosion Ardmore was cut off completely from the outside world. Telephone and telegraph communication was severed by the wrecking of poles in the downtown district.

COTTON GOES TO NEW HIGH SEASON PRICES

New York Spot Quotations for Middling, at 11.63.

Gain of $2 to $2.50 Per Bale Over Sunday—All Months at New High Levels With December Over 12 Cents—July Bid 13.

New Orleans, Sept. 27.—Bulls in cotton waged their campaign more fiercely than ever in the local market today and the net results at the end of the session were a rise of 42 to 51 points, or a gain of from $2 to $2.50 a bale compared to last week's close. New high levels for the season were made on all months, December was forced well over the 12-cent mark and the July option, which has not yet become active, closed at 13 cents, bid.

Spots shared in the advance, local quotations being marked up 38 points to 11.63 for middling.

Reports of battle successes by the Allies and consequent strength of Liverpool, higher spot markets in the interior and poor crop accounts stimulated buying. Outsiders were heavy traders, the activity of the market and the continued rise attracting them to the long side.

One feature was the heavier outward movement of cotton. For the first time this season shipments from ports exceeded receipts, shipments being 46,605 and receipts 46,399.

The market went to new high levels today with an absence of the spectacular trading which has marked bull campaigns in the past. There were no bull leaders in the local ring and seasoned traders considered the performance of the market all the more remarkable in consequence.

SCORE OF PERSONS BELIEVED TO HAVE TAKEN SLOW POISON

Contained in Nerve Medicine Distributed by Woman Demonstrator.

Philadelphia, September 27. — A score of persons are believed to have partaken of a slow poison accidentally mixed with a nerve medicine distributed by a woman demonstrator in a department store here today. The demonstrator, who also tasted the liquid, is in a hospital, but none of the other victims has reported at any hospital or to the police.

A poisonous liquid, used to clean glasses, it is believed, was added in the belief that it was pure water.

Newport News, Va., September 27. — The British steamer Sandsend today sailed for West Hartlepool with the gun taken from the British steamer Waimana a short time ago. The customs officials assessed the gun and duty would have had to be paid on it had it not been taken back to England, according to customs officials.

"KATY" RAILWAY SYSTEM IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

Friendly Agreement to Prevent Suits Being Filed.

Road Unable to Meet Obligations Already Matured and it Was at Request of Two Creditors Petition Was Made.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 27.—The "Katy" railway system, embracing the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway of Texas, today went into the hands of a receiver. This change, affecting a system with an aggregate mileage of more than 3,800, was brought about by independent orders filed in the United States district court at St. Louis and at Dallas, and was a result of a friendly agreement between certain creditors and the management of the two companies that comprise the "Katy" system. Charles E. Schaff, president of both roads, was named sole receiver of each. The receivership order signed here was issued on the petition of two creditors—the Railway Steel Springs Company, of New Jersey and D. B. Hussey, of St. Louis, who had a claim of $136,000 for ties and equipment. The order issued in Texas was granted on the petition of Mr. Hussey, acting for himself and others creditors.

The railway company filed an answer to the petition here, consenting to the appointment of a receiver and admitting the allegations of the petitioners as to the inability of the road to meet obligations already matured.

The receivership suit was filed by agreement with the directorate of the railroad. The failure of holders of $950,000 face value of $19,000,000 outstanding two year 5 per cent. notes to consent to an extension for one year at 6 per cent. brought about the decision of the railway management to throw the road into the courts to prevent the riling of individual suits that might result in a disintegration of the system.

IS CRUSHED TO DEATH WHEN TWO AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE.

Former Assistant Secretary of Commerce Cable Suffers Instant Death.

Ipswich, Mass., Sept. 27.—Benjamin Stickney Cable, of Washington, assistant secretary of Commerce and Labor under President Taft, was crushed to death in a collision between two automobiles on the Newburyport Turnpike today. His companion, Richard T. Crane, Jr., of Chicago, was cut and bruised, but escaped serious injury.

In the other automobile, Mrs. David L. Edsall, of Boston, suffered a broken leg.

The two machines came together at a dangerous corner five miles from here. Mr. Crane's car was hurled across the road and Mr. Cable was pinned underneath in such a way that death possibly was instantaneous.

CARE IS TAKEN TO INSURE SAFE TRIP OF COMMISSIONERS

Lord Reading and Three Associates Leave to Confer With Western Bankers.

POLICE INSPECT TRAIN

Passengers and Baggage Scrutinized; Detectives Said to be Aboard Train.

New York, Sept. 27.—Lord Reading, lord chief justice of England, and three of his five associates on the Anglo-French financial commission, left New York today for Chicago to confer with western bankers over the tentative terms of the proposed half billion dollar credit loan to Great Britain and France. The party will reach Chicago tomorrow morning and expects to remain there several days. The four commissioners making the trip are Lord Reading, chairman; Basil B. Blackett, secretary; Ernest Mallett, regent of the Bank of France, and Sir Edward Hopkinson Holden, representing the joint stock banks of Great Britain on the commission.

Sir Henry Babington Smith and Octave Homberg, the remaining commissioners, will stay in New York until the party returns.

Train Inspected and Policed.

The fast New York Central train, on which the commission rode, was inspected and policed as never before when it rolled out of the Grand Central station. During their stay in this city members of the commission have received threatening letters from persons hostile to the loan and the police have taken unusual precautions to guard them from harm.

These precautions were extended today to their departure for Chicago. Twenty detectives and plainclothesmen were scattered through the lobbies of the hotel where the commission has been staying, as the time for their departure approached. Another squad in which there was a number of railroad detectives, awaited the commissioners in the Grand Central station and still other detectives were stationed at intervals along the short route which the commissioners took from the hotel to the station.

Train Under Surveillance.

The train itself was under surveillance from the moment it was made up One car was set aside for the use of the commission and this coach was scrutinized more closely, perhaps, than any other. Every article of furniture in this car was closely examined by railroad detectives before the car was thrown open. The contents of all other coaches also were inspected.

As passengers boarding the train passed detectives who scrutinized them and their baggage closely. When the train departed, railroad detectives were said to be aboard. Some of Lord Reading's friends had urged him to permit at least two detectives to reserve accommodations in the car set aside for their commission, but it is understood he vetoed this suggestion.

PREPARES ENTERTAINMENT

Visit of Foreign Financiers Declared to Be Strictly Social.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Plans were made today by Chicago bankers and business men for the entertainment of the members of the Anglo-French loan commissioners who are expected to arrive here tomorrow morning for several days' stay in the west.

Through the day it was declared repeatedly that the visit was to be strictly social in its nature with the object of giving the visitors an opportunity to become acquainted with the financial and business leaders of the Middle West.

Although there should be no formal conferences touching the object of the trip of the commissioners across the Atlantic, it was pointed out that in the social meetings there would be opportunity to discuss financial and other matters should the commissioners and those they meet so desire.

ELEVEN MEN ENTOMBED BY BARRIER IN COAL TUNNEL.

Rush of Water and Culm Breaks Through Roof—Efforts to Rescue.

Lansford, Pa., Sept. 27.—Eleven men, six Americans and five foreigners, employed in the Foster tunnel of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company at Coaldale near here, were entombed shortly after noon today before a sudden rush of culm and water that had broken through the roof from an abandoned working. Gangs of men hastily worked in half hour shifts in an effort to stem the flow of water that was piling up the barrier of culm, coal and dirt behind which the men are prisoners. From reports of the company officoals it will be late tomorrow morning before the men can be rescued.

C. H. Suender, vice president of the company, said tonight that the cause of the accident had not been determined.

W. V. HUNTINGTON KILLED.

Automobile Plunges Through Fence and Down Embankment.

Oneonta, N. Y., September 27. — Willard V. Huntington, of Los Angeles, a nephew of the late Collis P. Huntington, and brother of Henry E. Huntington, railroad financier, was killed today in a motor car accident near Otego. In turning out to pass a team his car plunged through a fence and down a fifty foot embankment. Mr. Huntington was born here.

Baseball
Boating
Yachting
Angling

SPORTS

Motoring
Aeronautics
Tennis
Golf, Etc.

TY COBB PUT OUT OF GAME, BUT TIGERS WIN

White Sox Take Final Game From the Athletics.

Red Sox Win From Browns and Lack Two Games of Clinching Championship—Indians Take Last Game from Yankees.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Boston 8, St. Louis 4.
At Washington 5, Detroit 7.
At Philadelphia 5, Chicago 6.
At New York 2, Cleveland 9.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	99	46	.683
Detroit	97	53	.647
Chicago	88	61	.591
Washington	81	65	.555
New York	66	81	.449
St. Louis	62	86	.419
Cleveland	57	92	.383
Philadelphia	40	106	.274

Boston, Sept. 27.—The Red Sox, closing the season on their home grounds with an 8 to 4 victory over St. Louis today, approached within two games of clinching their claim to the championship. Two more Boston wins, two Detroit losses or a Red Sox victory and a Tiger defeat will decide the race in Boston's favor.

The Browns found Leonard off form and took the lead with three runs in the second inning, assisted by Lewis' errors.

Boston scored two in the third on a pass, Scott's double and Gainor's hit and tied the score in the fourth through Sisler's wildness and Wagner's double. St. Louis again took the lead in the fifth inning when Sisler and Shotter singled, Howard was hit and Sisler scored on Lee's sacrifice fly.

Boston settled the contest in the seventh by timely hitting and by taking the advantage of the wildness of both Sisler and Weilman, who succeeded. Shore, who replaced Leonard in the sixth for Boston, pitched almost perfectly.

St. Louis .....030 010 000—4 6 1
Boston .....002 100 50*—8 10 1
Weilman, Koob Sister and Agnew; Shore, Leonard and Carrigan and Cady.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Ty Cobb stole third with the base occupied by Bush in today's game, which Detroit won from Washington 7 to 5. Seeing his mistake the Georgia star made a desperate dash back to second, and when Umpire Wallace called him out on a close decision he objected so strenuously that he was put out of the game.

Washington scored four runs in the first inning, but Detroit made three in the third and went ahead by adding three more in the fourth.

Detroit .....003 310 000—7 10 2
Washington .....400 000 001—5 7 3
Coveleskie and Stanage; Boehling, Dumont, Harper and Ainsmith.

Philadelphia, Sept. 27.—Chicago won the final game of its series with Philadelphia by 6 to 5. With the game won, Scott eased up in the ninth and Philadelphia scored three runs on two hits, three passes and Weaver's fumble. Eccles was knocked out of the box in the third inning and Morrisette, who finished the game, allowed but one hit in the remaining six innings.

Chicago won every game it played in Philadelphia this year.

Chicago .....213 000 000—6 7 2
Philadelphia .....001 001 003—5 10 2
Scott and Schank and Mayer; Eccles, Morrisette and McAvoy and Perkins.

New York, Sept. 27.—Cleveland made it three out of four from New York today by taking their last game of the season in New York 9 to 2. Russell, one of the New York recruits, was ineffective in the early innings and the visitors continued to score on Brown, who relieved him.

Cleveland .....200 210 040—9 13 3
New York .....000 020 000—2 5 3
Mitchell and O'Neill; Russell, Brown and Alexander.

FIFTY CENTS TO FIVE DOLLARS FOR WORLD'S SERIES GAMES

Applications Have Been Pouring in for Reservations for Weeks.

Boston, Sept. 27.—The progressive world series game to be played at Braves' field next month, may be seen at prices ranging from fifty cents to five dollars, according to an announcement by the management of the Boston American League Baseball club today. The higher price will be for box seats. Other reservations in the grandstand will cost three dollars each. The number of seats which may be obtained by reservation has been increased from 10,000 to 15,000, which runs back of third base. These seats will sell at two dollars each. Tickets in these three classes will be sold in advance only in blocks of three, covering the first three games that may be played here.

Applications have been pouring in for weeks and are being filled. Tickets for the right field bleachers, at one dollar each, and in the bleachers at fifty cents each, will be placed on sale at the grounds before each game. No additional stands will be erected, it was said.

Chicago, Sept. 27—The annual series of baseball games for the championship of Chicago will begin Wednesday, October 6th. The first game will be played at the American League grounds. The schedule provides for seven games.

PRESIDENT PROMISES SUPPORT.

To Former Congressman Stanley, as Candidate for Governor of Kentucky.

Washington, September 27. — President Wilson today promised Senator James, of Kentucky, to give his support to former Representative Stanley, Democratic candidate for governor of Kentucky. Mr. James asked the President to speak in Kentucky for Stanley. The President said he would consider the invitation and if he found it impossible to go, would write a letter.

BROOKLYN IS BLANKED BY CHICAGO FEDERALS

Seaton is Hit Hard and Newarks Are Blanked.

Kansas City Wins Both Games of Double-Header from Baltimore. St. Louis Wins Fifth Straight Victory from Buffalo.

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Brooklyn	70	80	.467
Baltimore	46	101	.313

Kansas City, Sept. 27.—After Baltimore had tied the score in the eighth inning of the first game today, Kansas City batted out two runs and won, 3 to 1. Duncan's errors lost Baltimore the second game 7 to 3. Five double plays were features in the first game.

Baltimore .....000 000 010—1 4 3
Kansas City.....000 100 02*—3 6 1
Black and Russell; Johnson and Brown.

Second game:
Baltimore .....000 100 002—3 6 5
Kansas City.....000 303 01*—7 11 1
A. R. Johnson, Young and Owens; Henning and Easterly.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Chicago Federals held their position in the last lap of the pennant race by defeating Brooklyn 5 to 0 here today. Bailey allowed but three scattered singles. No Brooklyn runner reached third base.

F. Wilson is charged with the visitors' defeat, four runs having been made off him for two passes and four hits in the first inning.

Brooklyn .....000 000 000—0 3 1
Chicago .....400 000 01*—5 11 1
F. Wilson, Upham and H. Smith; Bailey and A. Wilson.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—Miller's single in the ninth inning, after two were out, brought Kores in with the winning run and St. Louis made it five straight victories in the series with Buffalo which closed here today. The score was 3 to 2.

Buffalo .....000 200 000—2 7 0
St Louis .....000 200 001—3 5 0
Schultz and Allen; Crandall and Hartley.

Pittsburg, Sept. 27.—Pittsburg shut out Newark today 3 to 0. Seaton was hit hard, although he pitched himself out of several bad positions.

Newark .....000 000 000—0 6 0
Pittsburg .....110 010 00*—3 11 0
Seaton and Rariden; Rogge and O'Connor.

GALICIAN GOVERNOR'S ASSASSIN IS ARRESTED IN THIS COUNTRY.

Surrenders to Immigration Commissioner—In U. S. Several Months.

New York, Sept. 27.—Mieroslap Sjcznyski, a Ruthenian fugitive from justice, who assassinated Count Andreas Potocki, governor of Galicia, in 1908, and escaped from prison after his conviction, surrendered himself today to F. C. Howe, immigration commissioner, at Ellis Island. Sjcznyski has been in the United States several months, having passed the immigration authorities with little difficulty. Until today his identity was not suspected.

He requested an adjudication of his status in this country in order that he might apply for citizenship. His case was adjourned and he was paroled in custody of his counsel.

The shooting of Count Potocki is said to have grown out of political strife between the Polis aristocracy and the Ruthenian peasantry. Sjcznyski, who was a student at that time, killed the count while the latter was granting an audience to some Ruthenian students at the governor's palace.

After two trials he was condemned to death, but this sentence was commuted to 20 years' imprisonment by Emperor Francis-Joseph. In November, 1911, Sjcznyski escaped from prison and made his way to Sweden. He came to America eight months ago.

NO ASSISTANT POSTMASTER AT RALEIGH AFTER OCTOBER 1ST

Several Changes Made in Force by Order of Postmaster General.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 27.—Postmaster General Burleson announced today that the office of Assistant Postmaster at Raleigh will be abolished, effective October 1st. Thomas C. Council, the present assistant, will be made money order cashier.

Phil H. Andrews is designated as postal cashier, and is assigned to the duties of superintendent of the financial division with an increase of salary from $1,400 to $1,500 a year. Cadmus P. Wright is promoted from clerk to superintendent of mails with an increase in salary from $1,200 to $1,300 and William Capers White is made a foreman in the mailing room. White's salary is not given.

Under the new arrangement two divisions are created, mails and finance.

P. R. A.

MADISON FRANKLIN CAPTURED.

Wanted in Wayne for Killing Another Negro at Mount Olive.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 27.—Madison Franklin, colored, who is charged with having shot and killed another negro, James Warren, several weeks ago at Mount Olive, has been captured at Marion, S. C. Deputy Sheriff D. G. Rhodes, of Mount Olive, who has been on the negro's trail since the crime was committed, and who was instrumental in locating him, has gone to the South Carolina town armed with extradition papers and will bring the negro back to Goldsboro for trial at next term of Wayne court.

CHICAGO RISES FROM LAST PLACE IN RACE

Wins Both Games of Double-Header From the Reds.

Cincinnati Outplayed in Every Stage of the Games—Fielding of Mulligan, for Cubs, Featured Second Game.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Chicago 7-5, Cincinnati 2-1.
No others scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Cincinnati at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
No others scheduled.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	85	60	.586
Boston	78	66	.542
Brooklyn	78	68	.534
Pittsburgh	71	79	.473
Cincinnati	69	78	.469
St. Louis	70	79	.470
Chicago	68	78	.466
New York	67	78	.462

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Chicago pulled out of last place today by winning both games of a doubleheader from Cincinnati by scores of 7 to 2 and 5 to 1. The first game was won in the eighth inning when George weakened and the locals bunched four hits with two bases on balls and cinched the game.

In the second game Chicago got the jump on the visitors by hitting Snyder hard in the first inning and piling up a lead which could not be overcome owing to the fine pitching of Humphries. The fielding of Mulligan, the Cubs' recruit shortstop, was a feature. In the initial game Wallace, a new catcher, performed in good style.

Cincinnati . . . .100 000 100—2 6 2
Chicago . . . . .100 100 14*—7 9 2
George and Wingo; Lavender and Wallace.

Second game:
Cincinnati . . . .001 000 000—1 7 1
Chicago . . . . .410 000 00*—5 9 1
Snyder, McKenery, Callahan and Wingo; Humphries and Archer.

PORTION OF BROADWAY YET IS CONSIDERED DANGEROUS

Heavy Traffic Stopped—Coroner's Inquest Over Wednesday's Accident.

New York, September 27. — While a board of engineers today inspected timber street surfaces covering new subway work in New York, a coroner's jury investigated the cause of the accident at Seventh avenue and 25th street, which resulted in the death of seven persons last Wednesday. Police Commissioner Woods tonight issued orders closing to heavy trafficking all streets where "cut and cover" subway construction is under way. Broadway, from 26th to 39th streets and Seventh avenue from 16th to 31st streets, are closed to all traffic by the same order. The board of engineers appointed by Mayor Mitchel reported the result of their day's investigation. The board declared that grave danger still exists on Broadway, between 26th and 33rd streets. Chairman McCall, of the public service commission, in a statement said that the rock strata in Broadway and Seventh avenue was such that accidents similar to the one at Broadway and 38th street, which cost one life Saturday night, are likely to happen any time.

The hole at Seventh avenue and 25th street was inspected by the coroner and several persons who had identified victims of last Wednesday's accident testified. Coroner Feinberg then adjourned the inquest until next Thursday afternoon.

TRIAL OF $20,000 DAMAGE SUIT AT RALEIGH TODAY.

Asheville Man Sues Wayne Hardwood Co. for Personal Injuries Received.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 27.—Counsel are gathering tonight for a big damage suit trial that begins tomorrow in Wake Superior court before Judge Peebles. It is J. D. Weaver, of Asheville, vs. Wayne Hardwood Company, of Goldsboro, started in Buncombe county court and moved to Wake for trial.

The suit is for $20,000 for injuries sustained by Weaver in falling from a platform at the plant of the defendant at Goldsboro while inspecting lumber. The plaintiff had a leg broken and was badly injured in other ways and was in the employ of the Norfolk concern as a licensed lumber inspector.

He is a brother of State Senator Zeb Vance Weaver, of Buncombe, who has associated with him as counsel Judge J. D. Murphy and Jones & Bailey. Counsel for the Wayne Hardwood Company are Murray Allen, H. E. Norris and Langston, Allen & Taylor, of Goldsboro.

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This remarkable discovery comes in tablet form and when taken after meals mingles with the food and helps it to assimilate so that it makes rich blood and pleasing plumpness. No one can use this wonderful flesh-forming food for 10 days without a noticeable gain in flesh and strength. Carefully kept statistics show that out of every hundred people who begin the use of Samose, 98 per cent increase in weight and their health and strength are restored.

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TO REORGANIZE STEEL COMPANY.

Vice-President and Directors of Midvale Firm Are Elected.

Philadelphia, September 27. — Steps toward reorganizing the Midvale Steel Company, control of which recently passed to a syndicate headed by William Ellis Corey, were taken at a meeting of the board of directors here today. Joseph Entwistle, stenographer for the board, was elected president, to serve until the transfer of stock can be completed. He will be succeeded by Mr. Corey, at the next meeting of the board, to be held in New York.

William P. Barba, general manager of the company, was elected vice-president and Mr. Corey, Percy A. Rockefeller and Samuel F. Pryor, directors. The latter is a vicepresident of the Remington Arms and Ammunition Company and a director in the Baldwin Locomotive Works, the General Motors Company and the Simmons Hardware Company. Commenting on Mr. Pryor's selection to the board, Vice-President Barba, in a statement, said Mr. Pryor's other affiliations have nothing whatever to do with the reorganization of the Midvale.

FORMER CHIEF OF POLICE DEAD

Mr. E. D. Britt, Well Known Citizen of Fayetteville, Passes Away.

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 27.—Former Chief of Police E. D. Britt died at his home here this morning aged about 50 years. The Observer this afternoon says of him:

"Mr. Britt was an earnest Christian and a good citizen. At the time of his death he, with his son, Mr. C. C. Britt, was conducting a butcher shop on the east side of Cape Fear river. He was also engaged in the boating business between Fayetteville and Elizabethtown."

Deceased is survived by his wife and one son, C. C. Britt, and by three daughters, Mrs. T. B. Williams, Mrs. J. H. Scoggins and Mrs. Buie.

The funeral services will be conducted tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Holiness church in Campbellton, and the interment will be at 4 o'clock.

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QUARTERLY CONFERENCES

That of Mount Olive and Faison Circuit Convened Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, N. C., Sept. 27.—The fourth quarterly conference of the Mount Olive and Faison circuits convened with th eMethodist church here this morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. J. E. Underwood, presiding elder of the Newbern district, presiding. The quarterly conference for the Mount Olive rural circuit was held Saturday with Rone's Chapel church, three miles east of here. Presiding Elder Underwood occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church here yesterday at the morning services.

Take a look at the dress goods and silks when you visit Gaylord's Fall Opening today and tomorrow.
(Advertisement.)

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Expert Cotton Graders to be Provided. Federal Court at Laurinburg. Hartness an Unannounced Candidate Yet.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 27.—The North Carolina Home for Widows of Confederate Veterans is completed and will be formally received from the contractors tomorrow by the board of trustees and opened with the least possible delay. The trustees will elect the matron tomorrow and the building is being furnished by the different chapters of the Daughters of the Confederacy. State Treasurer Lacy sent to Fayetteville today the final payment of $5,000 to be turned over to the contractors in the taking over of the building, which has a capacity of 60 persons, and there are on file applications to more than tax its capacity, according to Secretary J. A. Turner, of the board.

Dr. J. Y. Joyner and a number of the heads of divisions of the State Department of Education, will go to Manteo tomorrow to attend the annual session of the district association of county superintendents of public schools to be in session there the next three days. The association includes 21 counties and quite an attractive and profitable program has been arranged. Every phase of the work of school superintendency will be stressed.

Fifth District Appeals.

Appeals from the Fifth judicial district will be called for argument in the Supreme Court tomorrow, the district consisting of the counties of Pitt, Craven, Pamlico, Jones and Carteret. The cases to be argued are Harrison vs. Dill & Fisher; Bangert vs. Lumber Co.; Barrow vs. Insurance Co.; Warren vs. Vail; Barfield vs. Carr; Food Co., vs. Way; Griffin vs. Commissioners; Brown vs. Harding; Grimes vs. Andrews (two appeals); Kilpatrick vs. Harvey; Abernathy vs. Pitt Co.; Ramsey vs. Railroad; Moore vs. Commissioners; Humphrey vs. Lang; Lang vs. Development Co.; Lupton vs. Express Co.; Thomas vs. Merrill; Willis vs. Coleburn & Royall; Belcher vs. Cobb; Hoell vs. Bank; Sugg vs. Greenville; Parrott vs. Hardesty; Scott vs. Henderson; Manufacturing Co., vs. Lumber Co.

Expert Cotton Graders.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham says that within the next few days he will have some important definite announcements to make in regard to expert cotton graders who will be assigned to duty in this State during the coming season for the special purpose of obtaining for the farmers the highest price possible for their cotton according to the grade. It is estimated that the expert grader who was on duty in Edgecombe county last season saved the growers in that section around $25,000 in the receipts for their cotton through certifying to the growers the exact grades of their cotton. Major Graham is working out a system by which one grader will serve five different localities through a system of having the ginners send the samples they draw to a central point in different counties and then have the grader visit the different points once each week and pass on the grades of each, certifying them back to the growers by numbers corresponding with the bales from which the samples are taken.

It is learned that Mrs. Rowland has resigned as postmistress at West Raleigh. Her resignation was sent to Washington a week ago, but there has as yet come no announcement by the Department as to acceptance or probable appointment of a successor.

Federal Court at Laurinburg.

Judge H. G. Connor and District Attorney Francis D. Winston, of the Eastern Carolina Federal court district, went today to Laurinburg to hold the first business term of the court this week. The court, an entirely new one, was organized last March and there is to be the trial of the first calendar of cases this term. From Laurinburg the court officers will go to Newbern next week for a special term for the purpose of trying the suit involving damages against the government in the matter of the condemnation of lands for the Cape Lookout development. Thereafter there will be courts at Elizabeth City, Wilmington, Newbern and Raleigh, the term here being late in November.

Hartness an Unannounced Candidate.

J. A. Hartness, as yet unannounced candidate for secretary of state against Col. J. Bryan Grimes, spent the day in Raleigh and was urged by numbers of his friends to make definite announcement of his candidacy without further delay. Mr. Hartness says he prefers to wait to around the new year, but he is giving his friends and their suggestion careful consideration and it is believed to be not improbable that there will be a definite announcement relative to the Hartness candidacy before a great while. At the same time there is a sentiment that there should be a degree of co-operation among those who are planning to get into the race for primary contests with those State officials who have had two or more terms. These would include Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Commissioner of Agriculture, Commissioner of Labor and Printing and Commissioner of Insurance. Mr. Hartness says he finds a very strong sentiment wherever he has been for rotation in State offices.

Tax Hearings About Ended.

Members of the Corporation Commission say that the hearings of counties that have raised objections to the increases the commission has ordered in real estate tax assessments have now been about completed and that the whole matter of the tax assessments and equalizations is being finally closed up. It is likely that there will be a general statement issued by the commission very soon that will treat the whwole scope of the tax assessment and equalization work for the year with final summary of the assessments in each of the counties as raised or lowered by the commission in the equalization work.

MR. W. F. KELLY LOSES ARM.

Laceration in Cotton Gin Made Amputation Necessary.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 27.—Mr. W. F. Kelly, aged 75 years, who had his left arm terribly lacerated in a cotton gin last week near Mount Olive, is in a serious condftion in the Goldsboro hospital, where amputation of the arm was found necessary after he was brought here Saturday. Besides the injury to the arm, he is badly bruised about the body.

WORLD'S MONEY CENTER IN THE UNITED STATES

Loan First Step Towards Financial World Power.

School Army of 800,000 Swears Allegiance to Flag—State Holds Auctions to Eliminate Middlemen's Charges.

New York, Sept. 25.—The completion of arrangements for the great loan to enable England and France to go on purchasing American products is regarded by bankers here as marking a turning point in the financial history of this country. They say that while there has been much loose talk about New York supplanting London as the financial capital of the world, this is the first real step in that direction.

It is not so much because of the size of the loan that they take this view as because it marks the first international transaction on a scale likely to familiarize American investors with foreign securities. While American bankers have done some financing in a small way for Latin-American countries the instruments of these loans remained in the bankers' strong boxes. In the case of the present loan, however, it is expected that the securities gradually will find their way into the hands of the public, and so may pave the way to the flotation of other international issues here. It is noteworthy that at the very time when negotiations for the loan were in progress a movement was on foot to secure the listing on the Stock Exchange here of leading securities of strong South American corporations. Probably never again will a single week see the taking of two such important steps toward giving the United States a new position of power and leadership in the financial world.

Avowing allegiance to the United States flag, approximately eight hundred thousand public school pupils started in their school year in New York City last week. When the official figures of the registration finally are in it probably will be found that between 40,000 and 50,000 children will be compelled to attend part time classes. This is slightly in advance of the normal increase of part time pupils. The board of health had out 100 medical inspectors and 200 nurses in various schools of the city, but did not begin the scheme of stripping the children which has aroused strong protest from parents and children. The health officials contented themselves with merely a superficial examination, taking observation of the children to notice whether they had any affection that was evident, such as skin trouble, eye or ear affections or any disease that could be determined at a glance. In every school the same general program was followed, the children singing patriotic songs and pledging allegiance to the Stars and Stripes.

In order to bring about a reduction in the high cost of living and to bring producers and consumers into closer relationship; the commissioner of the department of foods and markets of New York State has planned a series of public auctions at which every type of fruit and produce that is extensively grown in the State will be offered for sale. The first of these auctions was held at Red Hock, New York, when approximately 50,000 barrels of apples were sold, and at Gardner, N. Y., where another lot of 50,000 barrels were disposed of. Both these towns are apple centers of the state, and the growers were thus able to show samples of their produce to the buyers from New York City. The crops at auction included many standard varieties of apples. The largest peach crop that the state of New York has ever had will be sold at auction within a week or two, and it is confidently believed that by these arrangements both producers and consumers will be better satisfied than ever before.

The residents of New York are threatened with a serious shortage in their milk supply, which on one day alone was over 200,000 quarts short. The unusual hot spell has had a depressing effect upon thousands of cows in the dairy region and the small dealers, who have only one source of supply, are having a hard time getting milk for their customers. To add to the trouble some of the railroads have been lax in supplying ice for milk in transit, and the health department has seized and dumped many thousands of gallons found to have a temperature of over 50 degrees. These seizures have come at the very time when the daily arrivals from the country were at the lowest ebb. The dairymen complain that they ought to be allowed to use what they can of this overheated milk for making butter instead of its being poured out in the gutter. It is estimated that the city's fresh milk supply is now 10 to 15 per cent short, owing to the hot spell, while at the same time the homecoming of city resident from vacation places has increased the demand 25 to 35 per cent. A milk famine would be a serious thing for New York, as it would cost the lives of thousands of babies. With the arrival of cooler weather, however, it is said that this danger will disappear.

While it has not attracted so much attention as the negotiations over the billion dollar European war loan, New York City has just put through the largest cash transaction in its history by paying off $57,000,000 of indebtedness all at one time. The obligation was incurred last year in order to raise money with which to take up loans of the city falling due in London just after the outbreak of the war. At that time the transfer was a matter of no little anxiety to city officials and attracted much attention on account of the heavy rate of exchange against the United States. The transaction this week received scarcely any notice, the contrast illustrating the tremendously strong financial position of the United States as compared with a year ago. —LONGACRE.

RECIPES OF OUR PIONEER MOTHERS

for the home treatment of disease were wonderfully dependable. True, they knew nothing of drugs, but owed their success to the roots, herbs and barks of the field. It is interesting to note that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the most successful remedy for female ills we have, was originally prepared for home use from one of these recipes. Its fame has now spread from shore to shore, and thousands of American women now well and strong, claim they owe their health and happiness to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

THEATRICAL

Following their second year's stay at the Cohan theatre, New York city, "Abe" Potash and "Mawruss" Perlmutter come to the Academy of Music on Wednesday, October 6, with the latest designs in cloaks, suits and laughs. "Abe" and "Mawruss" are the lovable partners about whom Montague Glass wrote such delightful stories in The Saturday Evening Post. He made them famous and they made him famous but Manager A. H. Woods added to the fame of all when he put "Abe" and "Mawruss" on the stage. Since then the partners have been working overtime.

The firm name is "Potash and Perlmutter;" they've got a designer named Ruth Goldman who has a head like Andrew Carnegie and a shape like Lillian Russell; a rascally lawyer named Feldman—and incidentally they have hearts of gold.

The story of "Potash and Perlmutter" revolves about the efforts of the two partners to save their new bookkeeper Boris Andrieff from the clutches of the Russian government. They really know little about Boris except that as a bookkeeper he is a great musician and they quarrel incessantly about him but when there is danger that the young man is to be sent back to Russia and perhaps a Siberian prison risk their every cent to save him. For a time it looks as though the partners may have to lose everything through their Quixotic ideas and Potash is going to lose besides a desirable son-in-law—when everything turns out happily. Cupid has been busy too, with "Mawruss" and the ending is doubly happy. There are tears as well as laughter in "Potash and Perlmutter," but for the most part they are tears of joy. A splendid company of New York favorites will be seen here, among them: Nat. S. Jerome, as "Abe" Potash and Charles Lipson, "Mawruss" Perlmutter. Tickets will be placed on sale Monday at Plummers'.

"The Red Rose."

That "The Red Rose," best known of the very few great musical productions on tour this season, is one of the prospective attractions at the Academy on next Saturday, matinee and night, October 2, is the most important of the week's theatrical announcements made by Manager Bailey.

"The Red Rose" is the production masterpiece of John C. Fisher, whose amazing genius in this direction created "Florodora." In fact, "Florodora" often is called the musical comedy sister of "The Red Rose" because the pattern of the last named piece contains many of the elements that won "Florodora's" success. "The Red Rose" is pretentious musical comedy of the type calling for more than a score of musical numbers, fully as many dancing novelties and dazzling stage pictures, the whole radiating chorus youth, beauty and charm in the great numbers Mr. Fisher always has considered so essential to success.

Manager Bailey states that he was able to secure this attraction only by giving an unusually heavy guarantee, a policy he is trying out this year in an effort to bring to Wilmington some of the really great road shows. These large organizations, because of financial hazards involved in one-night engagements, limit their bookings almost exclusively to the great cities. Manager Bailey is so confident of this city's discriminating judgment, however, he believes he is taking little risk in giving extra inducements to shows of this class.

"The Red Rose" is one of the few productions of such magnitude that it has been impracticable to send out duplicate companies. This in itself is a guarantee of character and worth because it means the original piece with players of the cast that created it, will come to this city in all the magnificence of first presentation, exactly as seen during the triumphant six months' run at the Globe Theatre, New York. Tickets will go on sale Friday at Plummer's.

Harold Lockwood-Grand Today.

California's sunlight warmed, gorgeous outdoors is shown in all its variety and beauty in "The Secretary of Frivolous Affairs" on at the Grand today, the four-part Mutual masterpiece by May Futrelle, widow of Jacques Futrelle, who lost his life in the Titanic disaster, herself an author of no mean reputation. Tennis, motoring, boating, riding and all the sports that thrive in the sunlight and pleasant weather are charmingly and variously pictured in this feature production, in

WILLIAM C. EHFE IN THE SECRETARY OF FRIVOLOUS AFFAIRS" A MUTUAL MASTERPICTURE MADE BY AMERICAN

At the Grand Today.

which Harold Lockwood and the lovely blonde, May Allison, have the leading roles.

Mrs. Futrtle never wrote a better story than this swiftly moving drama of a house party where mysterious thefts occur. Director Thomas Ricketts has expended his best efforts on making the production adequately interpretative of the original work, and the American company, besides the two stars, has provided an excellent cast which includes Carol Holloway, Josephine Ditt, Lillian Gonzales, Hal Clements, William Ehfe, Louise Linn, Carl Von Schiller and Wallace MacDonald.

In addition to the Mutual master picture, a one-reel comedy will be shown by the Mina company, entitled "Billie's Nurse." It is a scream from start to finish. Don't miss a Mutual masterpiece. They are great. "Seeing is Believing." We can prove what we say. Drop in today and see for yourself. Admission only five cents.

Tomorrow a great big four-reel "Broadway Favorites," entitled "The Vanderhoff Affair," featuring Hal Forde and pretty Marguerite Courtot.

"The Idler"—Royal Today.

Seldom if ever has a more competent or more well known cast been assembled for one production than is seen in the massive six-reel Fox Feature, "The Idler," which the Royal presents today from 11 A. M. to 11 P. M., and which is based on the highly successful and dramatic play by C. Haddon Chambers, one of England's foremost dramatists, which, when presented on the boards, was one of the most talked of dramas of the day. Headed by Charles Richeman, a star whose fame is equally great on each side of the Atlantic, it includes Miss Catherine Countiss, an actress of unusual charm and ability; Walter Hitchcock, a finished artist of marked power; Miss Claire Whitney, a beautiful and accomplished leading lady; Maude Turner Gordon, W. T. Carlyle and Stuart Holmes, all of whose names are prime

Scene from the William Fox Feature, "The Idler," Royal Today.

favorites with admirers of good stage work.

"The Idler" has left England after a quarrel with his father over a chorus girl marriage, and the story that unfolds after he comes to America makes one of the most thrilling narratives ever put into pictures. There is an elaborateness about the screen production that, of course, is impossible on the speaking stage, and there is a total of 375 gorgeous scenes incorporated in the six reels that go to make up this deluxe William Fox feature production that has made a decided hit throughout the bigger cities in the theatres owned by the eminent producer.

Going with this great six-reel feature today is a great World Comedy Star production, featuring those great and world-famous stars, Weber and Fields. Today the Royal opens at 11 A. M. and gives eight complete shows on a strict schedule of a show every hour and a half. Patrons are advised to try to get in at the opening times, in order to miss none of the charm of this delightful screen production.

All-Star Bill at Bijou.

Yesterday was another day of conquest at the ever-popular and ever-popuious Bijou, and the countless thousands laughted at the funny antics of Billie Ritchie and his co-stars of fun-making at the funniest all afternoon and night, despite the many other amusement attractions in the city. Of course there were other big features, too.

For today there's another notable all-star lineup at Wilmington's most popular theatre, and the bill is headed by that great and thrilling two-reel spectacular dramatic feature, "The Shot," featuring those eminent stars, Sidney Ayres and Doris Pawn. It is seldom that you see these stars in a multiple-reel feature, and when you do, you may rest assured that it is something out of the ordinary. Well, this is the case. "The Shot" is as chock full of thrills as the daily accounts of the European conflict would be if you were right on the scene. In fact, it is rated as one of the very best two-reel productions of the year by the great critics of the movies, and shows these eminent stars of the Big-U fame at their very best.

"Gertie's Joy Ride" is a rousing L-Ko feature with peerless Hank Mann, Gertrude Selby and Reggie Morris at their very "worst." There's a lot been said about the many thrilling stunts pulled off in this great comedy production, and it is stated that there is some of the most hair-raising stunts ever seen in a movie of any kind. For instance, at one time, the whole bloomin' bunch goes over a high wharf into a deep river in an auto. It's real—no fake about it.

"A Man and a Maid" is a great Nestor with pretty Billie Rhodes, and there'll also be another comedy feature making up the biggest bill for the money to be found anywhere.

Victoria Has Excellent Play.

Despite the many theatrical offerings in the city last night the Victoria theatre came in for its share of patronage for its new play, "The Shepherd of the Hills," a dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's famous novel of the same name.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" as a play is delightful. It carries with it all the lovable characters of the book; the piece abounds in wholesome comedy and bright lines, as its name implies, it is typical of the mountain country, the humble dwellers of the Ozark are portrayed in real life.

The play was well mounted, the scenic environments were very beautiful and were a delight to the eye.

The Harme Players again scored a success for the delightful manner in which they portrayed the humble characters of the mountain country.

Clyde Armstrong as "The Shepherd" who lends a helping hand and advice to the hill folk, handled his part in excellent manner, while Mr. Harper, as "Preaching Bill" brought forth many a laugh by his work as the droll mountaineer. As "Old Matt" the man of the mountain side, Mr. Lightfoot was good, his interpretation of the plain folks of the Ozarks was delightful, and Mr. Kilbride again pleased as "Yung Matt." Miss Margaret Ragan was seen as "Sammy Lane Lane" the sweet mountain girl. "Arney Steward" was played by Miss Karroll in a pleasing manner. A juvenile member of the company who compared favorably with the grown up members of the cast was Master Germond, a mite of a lad who easily won honors for himself.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" was well acted, well staged and the scenery measured up to past productions that are making the Victoria famous with Wilmington theatre goers.

Master Germond announced that he would give a real party on the stage after the matinee performance Wednesday and wanted all the boys and girls who attend the performance to remain after the final curtain, when the stage will be set and a regular party will be in order, refreshments will be served and every child is invited to go upon the stage and meet the young juvenile comedian.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," will be repeated tonight and Wednesday, matinee and night.

$2,000 FIRE AT ROCKY MOUNT

Garage, Automobile, Buggy and Considerable Feedstuff Destroyed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 27.—Fire this morning practically consumed the garage and barn along with the new Rambler automobile of Mr. J. P. Bunn at his home here, the total loss being upwards of $2,000. The fire occurred shortly before 10 o'clock and the department made a prompt response but exploding gasoline quickly spread the flames over the entire building and little was saved.

The heaviest loss is that of the new automobile and buggy, also a great quantity of feed, etc., which was stored in the building. The only insurance on the loss was of that of the structure, the value of which was about $250 with insurance to the amount of $150.

TOBACCO SALES AT WALLACE.

Large Amount of the Leaf Sold at Good Prices.

Wallace, N. C., Sept. 27.—The past week was one of the heaviest of the season on the Wallace tobacco market. There were good sales every day during the week. The receipts for the week totaled 40,000 pounds, average price being $9.70 per 100. One crop of seven lots averaged the good price of 17 1-2 cents and several lots averaged 12 to 14 cents. Prices showed no appreciable decline during the week. Far better receipts are expected this week.

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TOP O' THE MORNING

An unconquerable soul is a mighty asset. It is well to cultivate the habit of never giving up the fight for the right. The men who is never defeated in a righteous cause is the man who counts for most in the world.

One such conquerable soul, with God's gracious help, will overcome obstacles and win victories that the world never dreamed of.

—SELECTED.

A free sea and water rights.

Why should hyphenated newspapers have a word to say?

How'd you like to hitch your wagon to a blockade runner?

Colonel Bryan does not seem to bring about any peace for himself.

Primitive days have passed, but primitive ideas are still being passed along.

Cupid shoots at random, and is just as apt to hit a lobster as to hit a chicken.

Those who go to war must stand their part of the fury and take chances on the victory.

Perfectly honest people take offense from offensive individuals who should never be noticed.

Dr. Dumba can speak five languages, but none of them enabled him to make a satisfactory explanation.

An American named Pray has been arrested in London, but it is more than apt that he was looking out for prey.

Fulton county, Georgia, has gotten rid of cattle ticks, but Atlanta will continue to give her trouble with her politics.

The name for a chauffeur is something else when he recklessly butts into a party which follows all the rules of safety first.

We ought to mobilize our energies for Wilmington. A movement by our combined and unified forces is bound to move something.

It is stated that many people in Serbia live to be a hundred years old, but it is not stated why they did not emigrate when they were young.

Summer is telling us a lingering farewell. When the leaves begin to crimson the frost is on the way, and soon hoary, chilly winter will tinge the skies with gray.

Republican papers acknowledge that prosperity is here, but they will claim that it forgot what it was doing and came while the Democrats were trying to bring on hard times.

The alien who accuses us of taking a whole continent from the Indians is referred to the generally accepted proposition justifying the survival of the fittest. Aggressive and acquisitive races and persons get what is coming to them by going after it.

The report of Bulgaria's reasons for mobilization is somewhat exaggerated. As a sandwich between Rumania on one side and Greece and Serbia on the other, Bulgaria probably got wind of some international "conversations" calculated to make a sandwich recognize the wisdom of mobilized preparedness.

Most of our objection to other people is that they make themselves disagreeable by having their own opinion and doing their own thinking. In fact, they can't be made to believe we know it all, and thereupon they hug the delusion that somebody's home when they tap themselves on their dome. Two fellows who dope things out from different angles can have an argument that would do credit to an exchange of views at the Lime Kiln Club. A friend of ours, and humanity as well, says he refuses to chew the rag of disputation with any fellow who thinks he knows as much as he knows he knows.

OUR WATERWAY INTERESTS.

It is a matter of congratulation for Wilmington to have with her today two such waterways champions as Representatives J. Hampton Moore, of Pennsylvania, and John H. Small, of North Carolina, Congressman Moore is president of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, which has a considerable membership in Wilmington and ought to have more. These two distinguished and able advocates of rivers and harbors improvement, and special promoters of the Intra-Coastal Waterway project, are here to create interest in the forthcoming annual meeting of the Atlantic Deeper Water-Ways Association to be held in Savannah in November.

Congressmen Moore and Small will address a meeting of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce at 4 o'clock this afternoon and it will be inspiring for our citizens to hear them. Getting in elbow touch with such constructive statesmen means something, for they are engaged in a national work of the supremest importance.

Present conditions magnify and emphasize the need and importance of the inland waterway project, and now is the time for every port to get behind this stupendous enterprise and impress Congress and the Nation with the fact that it is not only meritorious from a commercial point of view, but also as a National emergency proposition. It has become necessary as an ideal coast defense possibility of nation-wide necessity, and Congress would do the Nation a loyal service in hurrying forward the project that means so much to the United States and the whole Atlantic seaboard.

Wilmington is specially concerned in the Intra-Coastal Waterway, for it will link this port, by a safe inland route that is to extend from Maine to Florida, with all the ports on the Atlantic. Messrs. Moore and Small will tell all about it, and what they say will be good to hear at this particular time.

PRACTICAL TRADE PROMOTION

The nation which sells the the most and buys the most of what it needs is bound to be the richest, for it is world trade that makes nations prosperous and powerful. That is realized in the United States, and for that reason the Democratic administration at Washington is actively engaged in promoting our foreign trade, especially in the matter of pushing it into new markets.

The country needs more exporters and importers, and the government is ready to aid all who wish to expand their business by becoming either exporters or importers, especially the former. It is necessary in doing a foreign business for either exporters or importers to be informed on the customs tariffs of foreign countries and to get posted on matters of exchange in handling the money end of the proposition.

A demand has arisen for just such information and the division of foreign tariffs of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce is ready to meet it with complete information about the business methods and the customs tariffs of various foreign countries, especially those of South American countries. It keeps on file the customs tariffs of every country and colony in the world, with a collection of customs and shipping regulations, together with a wealth of information on foreign proceedure, foreign consular regulations and foreign patent and trademark laws. Further p...iculars are unnecessary, for parties wishingto do foreign trading can get complete documentary and special information from the Department of Commerce at Washington.

The department also posts inquirers about consular law and regulations, a very necessary thing for exporters and importers to be posted about. However, one of the most practical steps taken by the department is to send direct to manufacturing cities a trade expert to confer with shippers to foreign countries. This will be done at government expense, and if any manufacturer or business concern of Wilmington should decide to do any foreign business a request to the department will bring its trade expert to confer with and advise with them. Concerning this new effort to promote our foreign trade, a bulletin just issued carries this official announcement:

"Much interest has been aroused in commercial circles by the decision of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at Washington to send one of its special agents to the manufacturing centers throughout the country in order to give first hand information and advice to manufacturers—first, as to the best means of entering the export field and second as to the full extent of the free information service which the Federal government is ready to give to every American manufacturer who desires to see his goods placed in foreign markets.

"Though the farmer, the raiser of cattle, the chemist, etc., appreciate the valuable services rendered by the Department of Agriculture and make full use of its immense fund of information, the American business man still appears to lack full knowledge as to what can be done for him by the Department of Commerce

"It is in order to dispel this insufficient knowledge and in order to shed full light on the commercial activities of the Department of Commerce, aided by the Department of State through its consular officers, that Dr. E. E. Pratt, chief of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has designated Mr. Stanley H. Rose, special agent of the bureau, as export trade adviser ,and has delegated him to tour the country from coast to coast, instructing the American business man as to foreign fields for American commerce.

"Taking into account the general interest aroused in trade with Latin America, Mr. Rose will make a specialty of furnishing information with regard to South and Central America and of putting manufacturers in touch with live opportunities in the various Latin American republics. At the same time he will point out openings for American goods in other markets, such as Australia, New Zealand, China and Russia.

"Many invitations have been received by the Bureau from chambers of commerce in various parts of the country, asking the special agent to make his headquarters at the chamber of commerce when visiting cities, and in all such cases Mr. Rose will work in close co-operation with the local chamber, the only proviso being that his information shall be made equally available to non-members as well as members of the respective bodies. The special agent will carry with him an exhibit showing the various publications of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, also sample copies of the principal text books of use to exporters and those interested in export trade.

"Mr. Rose, who is at present in Washington preparing data for his trip, is particularly well qualified for his new position, having been for several months active as commercial agent of the Department of Commerce at the branch office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce in the New York customs house. Prior to his entering the service of the Department of Commerce, Mr. Rose held the position of export manager of one of the large custom house and forwarding houses of New York city, in which capacity he became familiar with foreign consular regulations, especially those of Latin America. In addition to this, Mr. Rose has traveled extensively abroad, visiting among other countries Australia, New Zealand, Egypt, British India, and the various European countries. Mr. Rose speaks several languages and is a great believer in and advocate of the modern languages, especially Spanish, being more widely taught in this country.

"The itinerary of the proposed tour being so extended, no definite dates can be set at the present time for any special city, but Mr. Rose will as far as possible first visit those centers from which requests have been received by the department. He expects to leave Washington in the near future and the approximate dates on which he expects to visit the various cities will be announced later."

We would like to see Wilmington taking greater interest in its export and import opportunities and possibilities, and here is a good way to get next to the whole matter first hand.

ANOTHER BIG STEEL CONCERN.

A few days ago it was announced that the Midvale Steel Company, of Philadelphia, an independent concern, had passed into the hands of a syndicate of New York and Philadelphia bankers. The sale involves $19,000,000 and practically is a cash transaction, so it is stated in New York financial circles.

There has been no hint that the Steel Trust has taken over the big independent concern, but it is assumed in the financial district that the Standard Oil interests are now in control of the Milvale concern and possibly other independent steel works. It is said that the deal is the forerunner of another huge steel combination, with the Midvale, Cambria, Pennsylvania, Lackawanna and Maryland steel companies as the nucleus of the new combination. There are all sorts of interesting rumors in New York concerning the deal, and it is said that millions of capital is back of it.

It is believed that the Rockefeller interests are the principals in the new combination, and if so, the probability is that Wilmington and other Southern ports will be especially interested, owing to the fact that somewhere on the South Atlantic the big steel companies will sooner or later locate a plant to handle Cuban and Chilean ores. Wilmington or Southport would be a capital port to handle Latin American ores.

Anyhow, it seems that prosperity has gotten to the point where huge piles of capital are coming out into the open for mammoth developments.

SIXTEEN CENTS FOR COTTON

Sixteen cents is the price offered in Berlin by a group of German firms which recently offered to buy 1,000,000 bales of American cotton at 15 cents a pound delivered at Bremen. They have increased their offer, owing to the fact that the price in America has gone up to 11 cents and above. In this country last week the price advanced $5 or more per bale, because of unfavorable weather reports and stiff buying at interior points, probably participated in by German and British buyers who will store cotton if they cannot safely export it. Reports of the successful arrangements for an Anglo-French loan of $500,000,000 also gave tone to the cotton market, because it means credit and easier exchange rates for foreign purchasers.

New York cotton men figure on the bear side mostly, but it is reported that a big bull clique is being organized with millions of dollars of capital to put on higher cotton. They know that cotton is worth even more than 11 cents, and that only the war keeps the price from going immediately to 12 cents or more. All the argument and the statistics are in favor of continued good prices for cotton, and all that is needed now is a free sea for exports. That is the present problem that keeps us guessing.

New Orleans sets the pace on cotton dope in America and we have noticed for many years that the forecasters there hardly ever fail. New Orleans has good reasons for entertaining the idea that cotton will sell at 12 cents before the upward trend halts. With reference to the alleged bull movement, the Charlotte Observer says:

"Mr. J. A. Patten, known to fame as an operator in wheat and cotton, is being given credit for the bull movement in cotton, of such joyous manifestation throughout the South the past week or so. The story goes that the Chicago speculators, having seen the limit in the advance in wheat, began looking about for something cheap for market manipulation, and fixed on cotton. Under the leadership of Mr. Patten, a bull campaign was inaugurated, resulting in a success that has revivified the whole country. The Observer does not know that Patten in fact deserves credit for the fine condition of the cotton market, but the explanation given is altogether plausible. At the same time, if it is true that the market is speculative one, it is fraught with dangers, because there will be no telling when the speculators may come to the conclusion that they have bulled cotton to the notch beyond which they would not care to go. A decline would surely follow their withdrawal from the bull compaign. But as matters stand, cotton has been advanced to a strong position. There may be declines, but these declines will not be of the bottom-dropping-out character. Speculative or not, the bull campaign has done a great thing for cotton and the country."

FOR THE PROTECTION OF WILMINGTON.

To the Editor of The Star:

Do the citizens of Wilmington realize that if this country were at war with any first class power that it is without any protection from an enemy's ship of the type of the dreadnaught Queen Elizabeth? Fort Caswell that protects the mouth of the Cape Fear river could only keep an enemy's ships from entering the mouth of the river, which is about thirty miles from Wilmington. But a first class battleship could stand off at sea a few miles from Wrightsville Beach and tear the city of Wilmington to pieces with its 14-inch guns.

Now I think it would be wise for the people to get busy, while the committee on coast-wide defense are making up their plans for the protection of this country, that we not only ask but demand that the government put a battery of large calibre guns at Wrightsville which would be able to keep the enemy's ships at such a distance that their guns could not reach Wilmington. And also have Moore's Inlet deepened so that Wrightsville would be a harbor or station for submarines and torpedo boats and all boats of that class.

If we had something like this at Wrightsville together with the fort at the mouth of the river, Wilmington would be well protected from hostile warships. Yours very truly,

D. J. FERGUS.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Says the Wilmington Star: "Gee! Is the hoopskirt really here?" The rubber chorus: "Whoops, my dear!"—Raleigh Times.

Intercepted at Boone on his way to Washington, Congressman Doughton told the Watauga Democrat that he had put in a good summer's work on his farm, having harvested "enough hay to winter 200 head of cattle." Held up on his arrival at Washington by Red Buck, the Congressman said he was not much of a tariff tinkerer and that while he is not a jingo, he "will support a reasonable programme for the army and navy." Both interviews are of public interest, but we believe the mountain paper handled the better end of it, though not to the discredit of the enterprise of the Washington correspondent, for affairs in that great news center revolve around politics and hay seed is the last thing the reporter would be looking for. Mowing enough hay in a single summer to feed 200 head of cattle through the winter months is a pretty good account for any Congressman to give of his vacational activities.—Charlotte Observer.

The duty of the cotton planter to himself on the one hand, and to the creditor class among his own people of the South on the other, and the right way to harmonize the two, should be the basis of all the discussion now indulged in as to the proper course to be pursued in marketing the cotton crop. An intelligent and conscientious effort to solve the problem with these considerations as a guide would redound to the benefit of debtor and creditor and of the Southern people as a whole. On the one hand there are those who contend that the planter should hold his cotton for a rising market and on the other there are those who contend that he should liquidate now with cotton at a fair price in order that he may settle the obligations he has incurred for the production of his crop, and thus relieve the merchant, the banker and others of the creditor class who have helped him finance it. There is much to be said for both arguments. There is a degree of soundness in both, but there are also fallacies in both. To throw all their cotton on the market at once would give the planters the money with which to meet their obligations to those who for 18 months have strained credit to the breaking point to help them finance the crop; but at the same time it would floor the market. The cotton would drop out and cotton prices would fall with a rapidity that would bring a crash. To hoard his cotton would give the planters collateral on which to make loans, but their creditors would be in poor condition to make loans and general conditions would be such that buyers would find themselves unable to pay a higher price for cotton. The middle course in this instance, as so often, is the course of wisdom. Planters should neither swamp the market with their crops nor pile them up in warehouses. Those who have obligations to meet should sell at the prevailing price and relieve the burden upon the creditor class, who are the merchants and supply men, large and small, as well as the bankers. Those who need money to finance next year's crop should sell so much as is necessary to acquire the capital. The rest can be held as can be the crops of those who have no obligations to meet. In other words the cotton planter should be guided by immediate obligations to himself and to those who have helped finance the South's cotton crop, trying no speculative schemes either of buying or selling. If he will do this cotton will be gradually marketed at a fair price, the price will be stabilized to a reasonable degree and the situation will take care of itself.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

NEW $30,000 BUILDING.

Lower Floor to be Occupied by Abe Schultz, of Wilmington.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 27.—Blalock Bros., of Kinston, have been awarded the contract for the new four-story Hunter building to be erected at the corner of Queen and Caswell streets. There were nine bidders. The structure completed will cost over $30,000 exclusive of the ground. It will contain a department store, to be operated by Abe Schultz, of Wilmington, and barber shop in the first story and basement. The three upper floors will contain about half a hundred offices. The contract calls for completion of the building not later than February 1.

Gaylord's Fall Millinery Opening today and tomorrow. Everybody invited. (advertisement.)

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Prescription No. 666 is prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

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Also complete line of Groceries.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLIN, COUNty of New Hanover.

Nannie Trembly vs. Clarence Trembly.

In the Superior Court. Notice:

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County, for an absolute divorce; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county, to be held on the 25th day of October, 1915, at the Court House of said County and State of North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

W. H. NORTHROP, JR.,
Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court.
This 13th day of September, 1915.
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GEO. O. GAYLORD'S

FALL MILLINERY OPENING

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 28 AND 29th

Miss Alma Brown, the Head Milliner, spent some time in the Northern Market, seeing what was new, and buying the new things for this department. As usual, we have a large assortment, to show at our usual reasonable prices.

Everybody is invited, and remember that when we sell you the Hat and Trimmings, we Trim the Hat Free of Cost to You.

THE COAT SUIT DEPARTMENT has received lots of new and up-to-date Suits and Ladies' and Misses' Coats. You can make your selection in our Coat Suit Department in the new and up-to-date styles, anywhere from $10.00 to $25.00 a Suit. We have Coats for Children and Infants, from $1.00 to $6.50 apiece. All styles of Ladies' Coats, from $3.50 to $15.00 each.

We have received this week four lots of New Corsets. We have a big shipment of the Empire Corset, the best 50c Corset we have ever sold. We have a nice assortment of the Crown Corsets. They are both beautiful and comfortable, from $1.00 to $1.50 each.

We have the R. & G. Corset, Lace Front, from $1.50 to $2.00 each. The La Grecque Corsets, from $1.50 to $5.00 each. Our CORSET DEPARTMENT is a very strong department with us, and we try to sell the very best goods for the money. We alter all Coat Suits and Skirts, and the La Grecque Corsets to fit, without charge to the customer.

REMEMBER THE MILLINERY OPENING, and take a look at the SILK DEPARTMENT, on the first floor. We are showing a beautiful line of Silks in that department, in new stripes and plaids, as well as solid colors.

OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT is well stocked, and it is a pleasure to us to show the goods, and we feel sure that we can save you money, if you give us a chance at your business.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT is on the second floor of our store, and our elevator is in good condition and ready to serve you, one and all. The Hats are pretty and the trimmings quite different from any season before. We have lots of new and pretty Gold and Silver Trimmings, as well as fancy Pompons and Buckles.

We have the Jaunty Ready-to-Wear Hats, from 69c. to $3.50 each. Black Velvet Hats, from $1.25 to $5.98 each. We feel sure our Hats will please everyone.

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PUBLIC MEETING AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Congressmen Moore and Small Will Make Addresses.

Distinguished Visitors Will be Shown Cordial Hospitality While in Wilmington Today—Automobile Ride Over City.

Congressman J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, and Congressman John H. Small, who has long been one of the leaders in the movement for an inland waterway along the Atlantic coast, will arrive in Wilmington this morning at 9:50 o'clock and will be met at the station by a committee from the Chamber of Commerce and taken for an automobile ride over the city and county. These distinguished men will spend the day in the city and this afternoon at 4 o'clock will make addresses at the Chamber of Commerce. The public is cordially invited to hear them.

The committee from the Chamber of Commerce which has been appointed to meet the visitors is composed of the following members: Messrs. L. E. Hall, president of the Chamber; E. T. Taylor, M. J. Corbett, H. C. McQueen, Hugh MacRae, J. Allan Taylor, M. W. Divine, Thos. H. Wright, W. T. Emerson and Col. Walker Taylor and Col. J. VanB. Metts.

Following the automobile ride over the city and county immediately after their arrival, the visitors will have luncheon at the Cape Fear Club.

Congressmen Moore and Small have recently visited Norfolk, Raleigh, Columbia and Charleston. Both have before been in Wilmington in behalf of the inland waterway and are well acquainted with many people here. They have given many years of study to this important problem and are also splendid speakers. It is expected that there will be a large audience to hear them this afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. The general public as welt as the members of this organization are urged to be present to hear this important matter discussed.

The primary object of the meeting this afternoon is to arouse a deeper interest in the approaching meeting of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association which will be held in Savannah, Ga., early in November. It is expected that Wilmington will have several representatives at the meeting. Congressmen Small and Moore have recently been in Savannah making arrangements for the convention.

NEGRO DIES AT HOSPITAL.

Callahan H. Lewis, Injured at Mt. Olive Last Week, is Dead.

Callahan H. Lewis, colored, whose home was at No. 408 Taylor street, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday afternoon from an injury which he received last week while working at the plant of the Enterprise Lumber Company, at Mount Olive. According to the report to the police here, Lewis was struck over the head by Cleveland Brice, also colored, who was also employed at the plant. Lewis was brought to the hospital a week ago with a fractured skull.

Coroner A. S. Holden was notified of the death and made an investigation On account of the negro having been hurt in another county, Coroner Holden did not think that he ought to conduct an inquest and the Pender officers were notified. A telegram was received last night from the chief of police at Mt. Olive stating that he would be down this morning and instructing the hospital authorities to turn the body over to an undertaker. An autopsy will probably be performed this morning to determine the cause of the death.

INJURED AT LUMBER PLANT.

Mr. R. B. Boney, of Wallace, is in James Walker Memorial Hospital.

Mr. C. C. Boney, of Rose Hill, was in the city yesterday to see his son, Mr. R. B. Boney, who is in the James Walker Memorial Hospital for treatment for injuries received at the plant of the Camp Lumber Company, at Wallace, Friday afternoon, when a large sawdust flume fell on him while about his duties on the yard, crushing him to the ground and rendering him unconscious for an hour. Young Mr. Boney, who is yard superintendent at the plant, received a scalp wound and had his ankle painfully hurt.

It is said he was walking under the flume when, without warning or known cause, it broke in two and fell on him.

The flow of saw dust would have buried him, it is said, but for the fact that others on the yard saw his predicament and dragged him away. He was brought to the hospital Saturday. The exact extent of the injuries to his ankle had not been ascertained yesterday.

RECEIVED WARNING SYMBOL

Skull and Cross Bones Sent Judge Rountree Last Week.

What was interpreted by some as a warning threat of vengeance on him if he persisted in punishing those who had violated the law, came to Judge George Rountree last week in the shape of an anonymous communication containing a sketch of a skull and crossbones.

The letter has been turned over to Postmaster H .McL. Green in order that a United States government inspector may be put on trail of the cowardly person who made the threat. Nothing definite has come of the investigation as yet.

Fast Time by Motorboat.

What is probably a record for small craft was made yesterday, when the "Queen," owned and handled by Messrs. Hergenrother and Sherman, made the trip from Wrightsville Beach to the city, via Southport, in three and one-half hours. The "Queen" is a 22 footer, designed and built in this city, and showed on the trip outside yesterday that she is consistent as well as speedy.

Building Permits Granted.

The following building permits have been granted by Fire Chief Charles Schnibben: H. L. Herring; a four-room dwelling on 11th street, between Meares and Marshall, estimated cost of $500; John F. Rulfs, a four-room dwelling, No. 615 Bladen street, between Sixth and Seventh, estimated cost of $500.

REFRESHING SLEEP
Horsford's Acid Phosphate
Half a teaspoonful in a glass of cold water before retiring induces restful sleep. Non-Alcoholic.

NEW HANOVER LEADS AGAIN

Largest Delegation of Prisoners to be Taken to State Penitentiary at One Time.

New Hanover leads again, but this time not in a way that anybody cares to brag about it. Sheriff Cowan got back last night after having taken ten prisoners to the State penitentiary and stated that he was informed this was the largest delegation that has been taken to that institution from any one county at any one time in recent years. These prisoners were sent up as a result of sentences imposed at the recent term of Superior Court by Judge Rountree. The aggregate of service that the State gets from the county from the delegation is 52 years.

It has been the custom in the past for most of the offenders in Superior Court to be sent to the county roads but Judge Rountree decided that a change might be beneficial. One of the prisoners got 20 years while the other sentences were from three to five years each.

Sheriff Cowan was accompanied on the trip by Deputy Sheriffs A. L. Kelly, A. C. Reynolds and C. H. Keen and County Officer H. Mack Godwin.

The following are the names of the prisoners and the sentence received by each: Lamb Brown, three years; Will Canady, three years; Tom Leak, four years; John McKoy, four years; Babe Robinson, four years; James Riley, four years; James Smith, five years; William James, three years; J. C. Lewis, (white), two years; Ida Fields, 20 years, the latter having submitted to second degree murder for the killing of Walter Faison, colored, some months ago. The list was given out yesterday by Jailer Branch.

NEGRO GETS 60 DAYS.

Charlie Jones, Colored, Gets Sentence. Other Cases Lenient.

Recorder Emple was very lenient yesterday with the alleged culprits brought before him for settlement of their difficulties in getting along in the world. Charlie Jones, colored, had played his game unsafe enough so that he was caught, without sufficient resources to take advantage of the leniency that seemed to be in the Recorder's heart. Charlie had evidently taken his last change with which to get drunk and then allowed the officers to catch him stealing. For being drunk, he was offered the privilege of paying the costs, but being unable to fork up the currency, he was sentenced to 30 days on the roads in default. He got a like sentence for the larceny, making a total of 60 days for Charlie, during which time he will not have the privilege of enjoying a drink.

The charge of assault with deadly weapon against Oscar Johnson, colored, was changed to simple assault and he was taxed with the costs. He being unable to raise the same, the case was continued open to October 1st.

Brock Walker, colored, was charged with an assault with deadly weapon, but the State took a nol pros with leave. Lambert Ford, colored, was recognized for trial today, on a charge of violating the speed law.

COTTON STILL GOING UP.

Expected to Soon Reach 12 Cents. Many People Interested.

The merchant, who is expecting an opportunity to sell his wares for cash, and the one who has sold to the farmer on fall time are joining with the farmer, who has cotton to sell, in rejoicing over the steady increase in the market. It not only means better comforts in the country homes, but the same in the city homes. The cotton crop going out brings the greatest flow of money into the South and this enables the people to buy more and better things. It gives the merchant a better opportunity, and helps the farmer.

The market in Wilmington was quoted at 11 1-4, or a raise of one-fourth of a cent on the pound since Saturday. Charleston quoted the same as Wilmington, while Savannah quoted 11 3-8. Spot cotton in New York was quoted at 12 cents.

T. P. A.S WANT GOOD ROADS.

Mr. I. W. Cooper Has Returned from Convention at Greensboro.

The North Carolina T. P. A.s, realizing the signal honor placed upon them in having Mr. C. F. Tomlinson, one of their number, made National president of the T. P. A., have pledged him their loyal support, especially in the work he is now doing to try to work up a spirit for better roads, and to co-operate with the good roads associations over the State.

Mr. I. W. Cooper has just returned from Greensboro, where he represented Post G., T. P. A., at the meeting of the State Board of Directors of the North Carolina division of the association.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: J. O. Reilly and wife, to Sarah J. Davis, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of 13th street, 33 feet north of Ann, 33x150 feet in size; Solomon Sternberger and wife to Joseph B. Hall, for $10 and other considerations, lot on south side of Marsteller street, 115 feet east of Seventh, 5x66 feet in size; J. W. Chapman and wife to John B. Chapman, for $400, lot on northeast corner of Second and Brunswick, 55.5x145 feet in size.

Negro Arrested Here.

When Arthur McCulloch arrived in the city yesterday from Whiteville, he was arrested at the union station by Policemen T. M. Hall and A. D. Smith, Sheriff Best having telephoned that the negro was wanted in Columbus on a charge of larceny. The negro is being held at the police station until Sheriff Best can come and get him.

W. C. T. U. in Raleigh.

There is a very active organization of the W. C. T. U. in this city and plans are being made to have a representative delegation to attend the annual meeting in Raleigh, October 8 to 12, inclusive. Raleigh is making extensive plans to give the organization a hearty welcome.

Exhibition of Pool Tonight.

There will be an exhibition pool match at Warren's Pool Parlors tonight, beginning immediately after the bowling contest. The match will be between two well known experts, Messrs. Robert Sneed and E. S. Fefel. Both are experienced men with the cue and some fine playing is expected.

Small Fire on Miller Street.

The city fire department was called out yesterday by a call from box No. 124, to a fire at No. 1101 Miller street, where the one-story frame house, owned by Mr. J. F. Rulfs, and occupied by Tom McGee, had caught fire on the roof from sparks from the chimney. The damage was about $25.

CORN SHOW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IS NAMED

Probably Have Exhibition Under Tent In Wilmington

Joint Committees Met in Housewives League Rest Room Yesterday to Discuss Plans of Financing and Locating Exhibits.

The plans for financing, naming the time, finding the location and the general supervision of the Corn Show and Industrial Exhibit for New Hanover and adjoining counties to be held in Wilmington this fall, was placed in the hands of a Corn Show Executive committee at a meeting of committees from the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary club and Sorosis, which was held in the rest room of the Housewives' League yesterday, at 12:30 o'clock. It had been intended that the Housewives' League have a committee at the meeting but through a misunderstanding, this organization was not represented.

The committee appointed is composed of Mr. T. R. Ames, chairman of the Rotary club committee, as chairman of the Corn Show Executive committee; Miss Margaret Gibson, president of Sorosis; Mr. C. Van Leuven, representative of the Chamber of Commerce; and Mr. J. P. Herring, representative of the agricultural interests of New Hanover county.

It is the plan of this committee to appoint sub-committees in the different sections of the county, to have charge of certain phases of the work in their territory. Vigorous efforts are being made to get the people interested in the work, and the greatest show in the history of Wilmington and New Hanover county is anticipated.

While all the details have been put in the hands of the executive committee, those present yesterday made talks and gave suggestions about the different phases of financing, locating and securing the most efficient results from the show. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Hugh MacRae, chairman of the Agricultural and Immigration committee of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. T. R. Ames, chairman of the Rotary club committee, was made permanent chairman of the meeting.

It was the consensus of opinion that the fair could best be held under a tent on account of the possible need of expansion as the exhibits might probably be larger than anticipated, although the third floor of the old Murchison bank building was offered gratis, and was thought to be a good location, if large enough. Mention was also made of the old store of the Holmes Grocery Company, on North Front street.

The Housewives' League, not having a representative yet elected on the committee, has been requested to appoint a member to represent them on the Corn Show Executive committee.

A decision regarding the time, will be made at an early date as soon as the committee can get together and form their plans.

WHY IS A PATROL AUTO? CITIZEN WANTS TO KNOW

Takes Exception to Statement That Police Were on the Job.

"I notice in an article in your paper," said a prominent Wilmington citizen yesterday, "that you say the police were on the job when a few nights ago a call was received at the station that some one had broken into Sasser's drug store and the patrol automobile was dispatched forthwith with much noise and clatter. For the life of me I can't see how the police could be said to be on the job when they start out to run down sneak thieves with so much noise and eclat.

"It seems to me that the proper way to have looked into this robbery would have been to send members of the force quietly to the place and saved the demonstration until later. As it was the city was put to the expense of running the big auto to the scene and an ythieves in that neighborhood given due notice that the police were hunting them. Of course, any thief would quickly get out of the way after a demonstration like that.

"I understand that plainclothesmen were dispatched before hand to probe into the matter but what I fail to understand is why it was necessary to send the patrol auto until after the robber or thief was caught. I thought the auto was purchased for the purpose of taking persons who are arrested to the police station and not to haul policeman around to run down robbers."

REV. W. G. HALL RESIGNS PASTORATE OF SOUTHSIDE

Popular Baptist Minister Decides to Leave Charge Soon.

Many friends in his church and in the city, irrespective of church connection, were sorry to hear that Rev. W. G. Hall had tendered his resignation as pastor of Southside Baptist church.

Mr. Hall is leaving after four and a half years of most efficient and appreciated service, and in the face of the greatest move on the part of the congregation in its history. It will be unfortunate for the church if it loses him just at this time.

Among the fruits of his pastorship, the church has received between 300 and 400 new members. Among the improvements to the charge that are going on is the construction of a new $20,000 church, and it is largely through Mr. Hall that it has reached its present state of construction. Also a new parsonage is being built.

Mr. Hall has several calls under consideration, but has not decided where he will go in the event his resignation is accepted.

GOD LOVES THE JEWS

Prof. Hatch Speaks on "Israel's Seven Opportunities."

Rev. A. E. Hatch, the blind orator, at the Adventist church, Sixth street Church and Castle, gave another of his addresses last night. His subject was, "Israel's Seven Opportunities." "God Loves the Jews," he declared. "They are beloved for the Father's sake, there will be thousands of them saved; but they will be saved as you and I are saved, and in no other way."

Tonight Mr. Hatch will speak on the great war again, from the subject "The Seven Last Plagues." Good music by orchestra and choir. Seats are free.

See the big display of millinery at Gaylord's Fall Opening today and tomorrow. (advertisement.)

FUNERAL OF MR. RICHTER

Many Attend Service at Home and Church Yesterday Afternoon.

Many sorrowing friends attended the funeral of Mr. W. F. Richter, whose death occurred Saturday night, at his home, No. 609 Ann street, yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, from the residence to St. Paul's Lutheran church. The services were in charge of Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor of St. Paul's. Interment was in Oakdale. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

The pallbearers were: Honorary, Dr. C. F. Strosnider, Dr. E. J. Wood, Mr. J. G. L. Gieschen and Captain Kohler; active, Messrs. George Simon, Charles Schnibben, Carl Mahler, George H. Meyer, E. P. H. Strunck and Jurgen Haar.

Death of Infant Son.

Many friends will tenderly sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Williams, in the death of their five-months-old son, Robert Glenn Williams, which occurred at their home, No. 811 Dock street, yesterday morning at 1:50 o'clock. Funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock from the residence, conducted by Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor of Fifth Avenue Methodist church. Interment was made in Bellevue cemetery.

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Masonic Temple.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Miriam Holladay has gone to Raleigh to enter St. Mary's school.

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Mr. and Mrs. Greene Fenley are planning to move to Sunset Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mallard and Miss Rexie Tripp, of Shallotte, were guests at the Orton last night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tilman and Carl Tilman, of Salisbury, were registered at the Orton last night.

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Mrs. K. Clyde Council, of Lake Waccamaw, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday, a guest at Hotel Wilmington.

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Mrs. R. M. Murray is enjoying a visit from her brother, Mr. G. A. Smith, of Charlotte, at her home, No. 405 Harnett street.

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Mrs. T. A. Wortham and two children have returned from Burlington, N. C., where they visited Mrs. Henry Cabell Bentley.

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Postmaster and Mrs. McL. Green, who have been spending the summer at Wrightsville Beach, have returned to their home in the city.

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Mrs. L. R. Pigford, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. J. L. Clemens, No. 116 Red Cross street, returned yesterday to her home in Orlando, Fla.

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After attending the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus W. Jacobi and children have returned to their home in the city.

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Misses Ethel Maultsby, Kitty Maultsby, Mae Formyduval and Mr. J. A. Maultsby, of Whiteville, spent yesterday in the city, guests at the Hotel Wilmington.

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Mrs. Willie Eagles, who lives near Fifth and Swann streets, underwent an operation yesterday for appendicitis. Her many friends will be glad to hear that she was resting well last night.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Housewives' League will be held today at 10:30 A. M. in the Merchants' Exhibit room at Front and Chestnut streets. There will be important business matters discussed, and it is hoped that there will be a good attendance.

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The regular business meeting of the Lydia Yates Bible class of Grace Methodist church will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the ladies' parlor of the church. All the members are urged to attend as there is business of importance to be discussed.

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Yesterday's Greensboro News: "Miss Nettie J. Fleming, of 232 East Washington street, has had as her guest for the past few days, Miss Pauline Crumb, of Cincinnati, Ohio. Miss Crumb is on her way to Wilmington, where she will resume her duties as violiniste in the MacDowell School of Music."

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Her many friends in Wilmington have been distressed to learn of the critical illness of Mrs. E. P. Bailey, Sr., at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., where she went a few weeks ago to spend some time. Her children, Mr. E. P. Bailey, Jr., Misses Frances and Carin Bailey, of this city, and Mrs. William Chisholm, of Charleston, S. C., are with her.

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Mrs. V. E. Zoeller and Master Victor returned home yesterday from the Catskill mountains where the family have been spending a vacation. A stop was made at Philadelphia on their way home where Mrs. Zoeller entered Miss Bertha as a student in the Mary Drexel Home, where she expects to take a thorough course in Kindergarten Science, which will consume practically all of the school season.

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DEMONSTRATION OF NATURAL EDUCATION IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Mrs. Winifred Sackville Stoner, of Wilmington, is now in San Francisco, Cal., after completing a tour across the continent in the interest of Natural Education of which she is the founder. On last Friday afternoon she gave a demonstration at the Columbia theatre in San Francisco. Engraved invitations were sent out reading as follows:

You are cordially invited to attend
a demonstration of what is
"Natural Education"
to be given by the author
Mrs. Winifred Sackville Stoner
at the Columbia Theatre, Geary and Mason streets
Friday afternoon, September 24th
at three-thirty o'clock

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MRS. SLADE A. SMITH GUEST OF HONOR AT LINEN SHOWER.

Bolton, N. C., Sept. 27.—Mrs. Garfield von Meyer threw the doors of her hospitable home wide open to the ladies of Bolton Friday evening, entertaining them with a linen shower with Mrs. Slade A. Smith, a recent bride, as guest of honor.

The house was beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns and parasols, the Japanese effect being carried out in the drawing room. The hall was under a huge Japanese umbrella banked with palms and ferns. The punch bowl was gracefully presided over by Miss Merritt, assisted by Miss Lillie Auger. The living room was tastefully decorated with pink satin hangings and green vines intertwined. Pink shaded candles shed a soft and pretty light over the room. Under the arch was a dainty parasol loaded with linen of all description. At the most opportune time it was upset on Mrs. Smith, much to her surprise and delight. A salad course followed by ice cream and cake was served. After music and games the guests dispersed, pronouncing Mrs. Meyer a charming and ideal hostess.

Among those present were Mrs. S. K. Allen, Mrs. R. Benton, Mrs. S. A. Smith, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Kahm, Mrs. Burroughs, Mrs. Rawls, Mrs. May, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Faulk, Mrs. Strauss, Mrs. Laudabach, Mrs. Troy, Mrs. Gobott, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Bean, Mrs. Venners, Mrs. Stewart, Misses Merritt, Auger, Brinkley and Brown.

Magical Effect of New Face Peeler

To maintain a clear, white, youthful complexion, there's nothing so simple to use and yet so effective as ordinary mercolized wax, which you can get at any drug store. Just apply the wax at night as you would cold cream. In the morning wash it off with warm water. If you've never tried it you can't imagine the magical effect of this harmless home treatment. It causes the old worn-out scarf skin to come off in minute particles, a little at a time, and soon you have entirely shed the offensive cuticle. The fresh young underskin now in evidence is so healthy and girlish looking, so free from any appearance of artificiality, you wonder why you had not heard of this marvelous complexion-renewing secret long ago.

Equally magical in its action is a simple wrinkle-removing lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint of witch hazel. Bathing the face in this for two or three minutes immediately affects every line and furrow and improves facial contour wonderfully.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. C. Boney, of Rose Hill, who was in the city yesterday, was a pleasant caller at the office of The Morning Star.

—Chief of Police N. J. Williams is confined to his home on account of illness. His many friends hope that he will soon be out again.

—State Fish Commissioner H. L. Gibbs passed through the city yesterday en route to Southport, where he went to prosecute alleged violators of the fish law.

—Suit was filed in the Recorder's court yesterday by the A. B. Croom Co., against J. N. George, of Pender county. No complaint was filed. The plaintiff is represented by P. D. Satchwell, Esq.

—Mr. Malcolm G. Little, who will be a member of the High School faculty this year, succeeding Mr. T. M. Ramsaur, has arrived in the city. Mr. Little is a native of Virginia and is a graduate of Clark College, Worcester, Mass. Since completing his course in 1912 he has been engaged in business. He will teach mathematics and physics in the High School.

—There was a large number of North Carolina arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday. Among them were Messrs. J. B. Seavey, Alpine; E. F. Capps, Wilson; J. E. Wilson, Clinton; Rev. R. M. VonMiller, Jacksonville; W. W. Murphy and J. G. Payne, Fort Caswell; R. L. Stewart, Chapel Hill; E. R. Blair, Raleigh; M. A. Northrop, Southport; Andrew Burr, Charlotte; William Black, Charlotte; C. L. Short, Newbern.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Orton yesterday were: R. E. Hill and child, Whiteville; F. H. Aberly, Newbern; O. L. Clark, Clarkton; D. R. A. B. Holmes, J. K. Nicholson, A. H. Holmes and L. P. Porter, Councils; J. H. Newbury, Warsaw; Col. W. B. Fort, Pikeville; M. B. McAuley, Acme; Nere E. Day, Jacksonville; Col. Jno. S. Cunningham, Durham; J. C. Swinson, Shallotte.

AL G. FIELD'S MINSTRELS GIVEN A ROYAL WELCOME.

Two Packed Houses Witnessed Production at Academy Yesterday.

Al G. Field, long a favorite with Wilmington theatre-goers, and his corps of assistants won additional appreciation from local admirers with the production put on by them at the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon and last night. There were but few vacant seats at the matinee performance and the house was packed to overflowing last night. The audiences were given more than they had anticipated and the show was even better than had been expected.

For three decades, Al Field has been touring the South and with each additional year, he is able to hit on some new stunts in the minstrelsy line. The scenic effects were even more startling than usual and the costumes all that could be desired. There was variety, plenty of it, and the changes in the settings were made with wonderful rapidity.

Perhaps the most effective of all the many scenes shown was when the curtain rose showing the river bank and the "Robert E. Lee" docked at a wharf on the Mississippi, receiving her cargo with many dusky stevedores singing and dancing. Then the boat sails slowly away and a second later is seen in the distance racing with the "Natchez" down the river, representative of that great race years ago, which is still one of the fondest traditions of the early life on the old Mississippi.

The scene changes in a trice while the interlocutor—all minstrel shows have interlocutors—tells something of the old days along the Mississippi that Mark Twain has immortalized in his inimitable style. The passengers and waiters gather in the grand saloon of the Robert E. Lee, and a modern musicale is enlivened with many songs. From the long programme of songs, perhaps the most noteworthy were "The Little Grey Mother," by Jack Richards; "Everything He Does Pleases Me," by O'Neil and Sexton; "When It's Night Time Down in Dixie Land," by Joe Coffman; the yodeling medley by Herbert Willson, and "You Remind Me so Much of My Mother," by Walter Sherwood.

Mr. Field appears for a few moments as interlocutor and engages in a verbal combat with Bert Swor in which the latter shows himself so obsessed with the baseball fever that he cannot understand that anything else in the world matters much. Bert Swor is Bert Swor and has to be seen to be appreciated.

Bert Swor a moment later is seen as the porter in the hotel and gives a monologue in the Bert Swor manner. His imitation of the well known style of the political orator with his fondness for platitudinous language and his constant reference to his notes produced much laughter and amusement. Bert and John Healy appear again as the joint owners of a contrary automobile, this being the introduction for the closing scene when they appear as the co-defendants in a suit over some missing chickens with which the pair seem to be too well acquainted. "Auntie Skinner's Dinner Party," is one of the laughable scenes in the productions.

Dennie O'Neil's dancing productions that are pulled off with the assistance of a number of the members of the company is an exaggerated imitation of modern dances that produces great merriment.

The patriotic tableaus: "Washington Crossing the Delaware;" "The Spirit of '76"; "Peace," and "Our Army and Navy" were most entertaining and well executed with splendid scenic effects.

Those who saw the show got their money's worth and here's hoping that Al Field may be spared for many more years and may his tribe increase. His show is more and better.

Wants to Know About Mother.

John H. Sullivan, No. 636 Grove avenue, Petersburg, Va., wants to know something of his mother, Mrs. Martha Sullivan, who, he has heard, lives in or near Wilmington. He states that he was adopted by her at the age of eight years but has heard nothing from her recently. Postmaster Green recently received a letter from Sullivan.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE BEGINS AT HILTON PARK TODAY.

Many of Last Year's Players Back. Good New Material for Team.

Capt. V. Hall has sent out requests that all candidates for the High school football team report at Hilton Park this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, for the first practice of the season.

The boys have high hopes of putting out an excellent team this season and one that will win its part of the honors. Besides the large number of new candidates that are expected, many of the players, who held the best records last year, will be back again. Among them are Bagley, fullback, known as the second Charlie Brinkley; Rhodes, center, who made the all-star team last year; Budda, Johnson and Hanby, tackles, all of whom were there with the goods last year; Captain Hall, who played half-back last year, will direct the team from quarterback. Silverman, end, and his running mate, Monroe, are both in good shape. Grant, utility man last year, is considered one of the most valuable men on the team.

Among the new men are Hill, Davie, G. Johnson, S. Griffith, Green, Woolard, J. Farmer, W. Farmer and Fenley.

With these strong men and a little backing up by the people of Wilmington, Captain Hall and Coach Shaw expect to put out a winning team.

OPENING AT THE ROYAL.

Crowd Flocks to See First Show in the New Theatre.

The managers, Messrs. Howard and Wells, were highly pleased on the opening night at the Royal. The crowds flocked to both the Bijou and the Royal, despite the fact that Al G. Fields was in the city and standing room was at a premium at the Academy of Music.

The large crowds were well pleased with the stereopticon effect of the new machine and plate glass screen. The pictures were extra good and the audience was pleased with the plots and high class pictures as well as the excellent optical effect that adds a naturalness and life-like appearance, the different objects taking their respective distance from each other when one is nearly directly between the observer and the other.

HANSON GETTING READY

Local Mat Favorite Preparing to Meet Mainfort Next Friday Night.

Fritz Hanson, the local mat favorite, is now taking daily cross country runs in his training for the wrestling match between himself and Mainfort, the wrestling instructor at the University of Virginia. Mainfort writes that he will reach Wilmington Thursday morning and will train for two days at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. Both men expect to take every precaution in their training with a view to winning the contest and lovers of wrestling are promised a real contest.

Hanson and Mainfort made a draw of it the last time they met but this time the contest will be to a finish.

Y. M. C. A. ATHLETIC DEPT.

New Business Men's Class Being Put on Before 6 O'clock.

The physical department of the Y. M. C. A. is taking shape and much progress is being made. A large number of new men are joining the 6:10 class in physical culture. These classes are held on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Plans are under way to establish a new class to begin at 5:20 and last until 6 o'clock. This class fills the need of a large number of business men who like to get back to their offices before closing time.

YOKE FELLOWS BAND MEETS

Secretary Huntington Outlines Religious Work for Winter.

The regular monthly meeting of the Yoke Fellows' Band was held yesterday in the committee room of the Y. M. C. A. Plans were discussed for their fall and winter activities.

Secretary J. B. Huntington outlined the religious work of the association for the fall and winter and discussed the different appointments. The association takes two new appointments this year.

Before Justice Bornemann.

Eliza Carter, colored, was tried yesterday before Justice Bornemann on a peace warrant sworn out by Lizzie Moore, colored. Justice Bornemann found the case to be trivial and malicious and taxed the plaintiff with the costs.

CURED OF PELLAGRA; WOMAN IS SO HAPPY

Ratliff, Miss.—Ida Creel, of this place, writes: "I am enjoying fine health, better than I have in years. My weight is 116; when I began taking your treatment it was 98. I sure can praise your treatment; can eat anything I want and it don't seem to hurt me."

There is no longer any doubt that pellagra can be cured. Don't delay until it is too late. It is your duty to consult the resourceful Baughn.

The symptoms—hands red like sunburn, skin peeling off, sore mouth, the lips, throat and tongue a flaming red, with much mucus and choking; indigestion and nausea, either diarrhoea or constipation.

There is hope; get Baughn's big Free book on Pellagra and learn about the remedy for Pellagra that has at last been found. Address American Compounding Co., box 2097, Jasper, Ala., remembering money is refunded in any case where the remedy fails to cure.—Adv.

ANNUAL MEETING OF BAPTISTS

Wilmington Association to Convene October 6th and 7th—Rev. W. G. Hall, Moderator.

The Wilmington Baptist Association will meet at Long Creek, about four miles from Currie on the A. & Y. Railway, beginning Wednesday, October 6 and continuing through the following day. Rev. W. G. Hall will be moderator at this meeting, but in view of his recent resignation from the pastorate at Southside Baptist church, states that he will not accept the honor another year, and an important part of the meeting will be to elect a new moderator.

Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, has already secured delegates to accompany him to the meeting. They are Messrs. D. L. Gore, C. C. Cashwell and C. Y. Devaun. It is understood that large delegations will go from both the First Baptist church and from Southside church. The appointments will be made later.

A most interesting programme has been arranged, which is as follows:

Wednesday.

10 a. m.—Devotions.
10:30 a. m.—Roll call of churches. Announcement of committees.
11 a. m.—Introductory sermon. O. N. Marshall.
2 p. m.—Devotional.
2:15—Sunday schools. Report by F. P. Powers.
3—State Missions. Report by O. N. Marshall.
4—Orphanage report by R. M. Von Miller.
7:45—Devotional.
8—Home Missions. Report by E. L. Weston.
8:45—Foreign Missions. Report by C. V. Brooks.

Thursday.

9:15 a. m.—Devotional.
9:30—Woman's work. Report by W. B. Rivenbark.
10—Laymen's Work. Report by G. E. Leftwich.
10:30—Education. Report by C. C. Cashwell.
11—Biblical Recorder. Report by J. A. Sullivan.
11:30—Missionary sermon. R. M. Von Miller.
2 p. m.—Devotional.
2:15—Miscellaneous business.
2:45—Temperance. Report by J. T. Bland.
3:15—B. Y. P. U. Report by W. M. C[illegible].
3:45—Associational History and Obituary. C. E. McCullen.
Rev. O. N. Marshall and Rev. J. A. Sullivan, compose the committee on order of business.

Good Services at Calvary.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, who was holding a meeting at Rose Hill last Sunday, Boys' Secretary C. W. Johnson, of the Y. M. C. A., conducted the morning services at Calvary church, and Mr. Odis B. Hinnant, in the afternoon. The pastor surprised them by returning earlier than expected, and was in time to conduct the evening services himself. There were three additions to the church at the evening meeting.

Ministers Meet at Y. M. C. A.

A regular meetings of the Wilmington Ministerial Association was held in the committee room of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday, at which the general topics of interest to their work was discussed. They will hold another meeting Friday to discuss some important business matters.

Meeting of Rotary Club.

There will be a meeting of the Rotary Club on the Mezzanine floor of the Trust building tonight at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of the members is desired.

Washington, Sept. 27.—President Wilson today designated Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge to represent him at the dedication next Thursday of a tablet at Manassas, Va., in commemoration of a Blue and Gray reunion July 21, 1911, fifty years after the first battle of Manassas.

Rupture Expert Here

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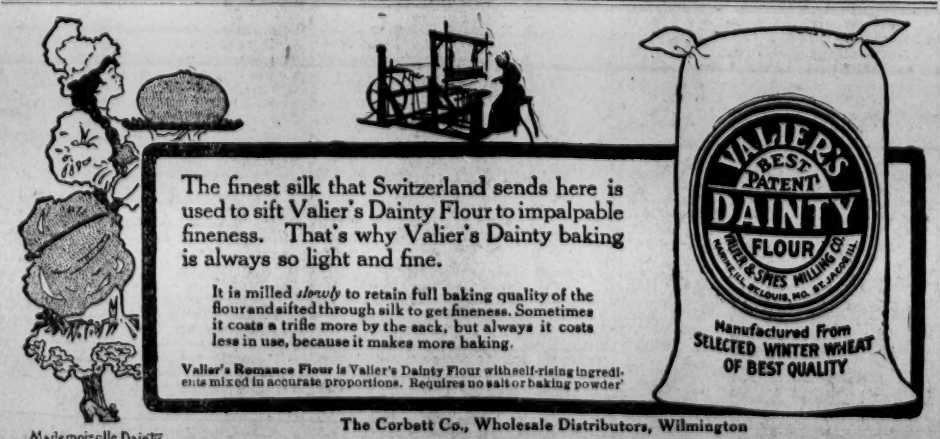
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK COTTON 12 CENTS

January Contracts Go as High as 12.74, a Rise of $2.20 Since Saturday. Heavy Realizing.

New York, Sept. 27.—There was a renewal of the active general buying movement in the cotton market here today and a further big advance in prices with January contracts selling up to 12.74, or $2.20 per bale above the closing price of Saturday, and $17.30 per bale above the low level of last July.

Heavy realizing was encountered at times during the day, particularly when the market first reached the 12 1-2 cent level for January contracts, but all offerings were readily absorbed and the close was strong within two or three points of the best at a net advance of 32 to 44 points.

The market opened firm at an advance of 16 to 20 points and sold about 27 to 37 points net higher on an excited demand from Wall street, Southern and general commission house sources, firmness in Liverpool, bullish Southern spot trade advices and talk of very low crop condition figures were all factors on the advance, but profit taking resulted in reactions of some 9 or 10 points during the middle of the day. There was an aggressive general buying during the afternoon, however, and prices reached the best point of the day in the late trading when October sold at 11.98; December at 12.38 and March at 12.81, or 40 to 45 points above Saturday.

The futures market closed strong:

	Open	High	Low	Close
October	11.07	11.98	11.70	11.95
December	12.17	12.38	12.10	12.36
January	12.27	12.64	12.25	12.51
March	12.51	12.81	12.51	12.80
May	12.71	12.92	12.65	12.81

Spot cotton steady; Middling uplands 12.00; sales 300 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 11.63; receipts, 5,512; exports, 7,000; sales, 3,175; stock, 131,694.

Galveston—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 16,232; exports, 650; sales, 1,764; stock, 198,065.

Mobile — Middling, 11.38; receipts, 616; sales, 100; stock, 16,903.

Savannah—Middling, 11.38; receipts, 10,754; sales, 2,940; stock, 173,692.

Charleston—Middling, 11¼; receipts, 4,376; exports, 6,750; sales, 100; stock, 65,853.

Wilmington—Middling, 11¼; receipts, 5,499; exports, 13,070; stock, 52,855.

Texas City—Sales, 1,407.

Norfolk—Middling, 11.50; receipts, 3,408; stock, 36,155.

Baltimore—Stock, 3,606.

Boston—Middling, 11.70; stock, 4,100.

Philadelphia — Middling, 12.25; exports, 500; stock, 896.

New York—Middling, 12.00; exports, 1,764; stock, 245,314.

Monor Ports—Stock, 32,642.

Total today—Receipts, 46,499; exports, 29,734; stock, 961,775.

Total for week—Receipts, 89,044; exports, 58,411.

Total for season—Receipts, 817,699; exports, 470,780.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 11.75; receipts, 27,703; shipments, 20,717; sales, 8,374; stock, 114,838.

Memphis — Middling, 11.50; receipts, 3,319; shipments, 2,180; sales, 825; stock, 54,902.

Augusta — Middling, 11.50; receipts, 7,475; shipments, 1,240; sales, 1,809; stock, 112,144.

St. Louis—Middling, 11⅞; receipts, 446; shipments, 446; stock, 7,492.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 244; shipments, 304; stock, 11,799.

Little Rock—Middling, 11⅜; receipts, 447; shipments, 169; sales, 169; stock, 5,673.

Dallas—Middling, 11.50.

Total otday—Receipts, 39,634; shipments, 25,056; stock, 306,848.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, September 27. — Cotton: Spot, firm; good middling, 7.20; middling, 6.88; low middling, 6.40. Sales, 12,000; for speculation and export, 1,000. Receipts, 3,000. Futures, feverish. September, 6.80½; September-October, 6.80½; October-November, 6.81½; November-December, 6.86½; December-January, 6.87; January-February, 6.88; February-March, 6.89½; March-April, 6.90½; April-May, 6.91; May-June, 6.91½; June-July, 6.90; July-August, 6.88; August-September, 6.74.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 27. — Mercantile paper, 3¼@3¾; Sterling, sixty day bills, 4.6750; demand, 4.7065; cables, 4.7115. Bar silver, 49⅝. Mexican dollars, 38½. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, strong. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2½; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3.

Call money, steady. High, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at same.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS.

New York, September 27 — Cotton goods were fairly active and strong today. Several lines of heavy cotton underwear advanced. Worsted dress goods were quite active for prompt and spring deliveries.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Prices Go to Highest for Season—Spot Steady, 38 Points Up.

New Orleans, Sept. 27.—Buying by bull element forced cotton prices to new high levels for the season on the local market again today. The market held its strength throughout and closed at the highest, a net rise of 42 to 51 points. It was a broad and active market and the volume of business transacted made it one of the largest days since the bull campaign started.

The reported victories by the Allies' which caused Liverpool to stand much higher than due, led to much buying. Higher spot markets in the South generally, a rise of 38 points on local spots, continued unfavorable crop accounts and the report by a Southern newspaper that the crop was half picked, were bullish features which kept the buying orders pouring in.

The market in the early trading rose 24 to 36 points; by noon prices were about 35 points up, the whole list considered, and in the afternoon, after the quoting of spots, the market went to its highest.

Cotton futures closing: October 11.94; December 12.25; January 12.39; March 12.68; May 12.87.

Spot cotton steady, 38 points up. Sales on the spot 925.

PRICE OF WHEAT GOES DOWN

Decline Under Pressure of Heaviest Receipts of the Season in the Northwest—Other Grain Down.

Chicago, September 27. — Wheat prices declined today, rendered heavy by the largest receipts so far this season in the American and Canadian Northwest. Although unsettled at the close, quotations were ⅛ to 3⅛c. net lower, with December at 94 and May at 96¾.

Corn finished ¼ to ¾ down and oats off ¼ to ⅛@⅜, but provisions up 5 to 30 cents.

Grain and provisions closing:

Wheat—September, 1.03; December, 94; May, 96¾.

Corn—December, 54⅞; May, 56⅞.

Oats—December, 35⅞; May, 37⅞.

Pork—October, 13.05; January, 15.82.

Lard—October, 8.27; January, 8.80.

Ribs—October, 8.57; January, 8.80.

Cash grain:

Wheat — No. 2, red, 1.02¾@1.06½; No. 3, red, 96@1.01; No. 4, red, 81@98; No. 2, hard, 1.02¾@1.06½.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 69¾@72¼; No. 4, yellow, 68½@70.

MARINE.

Cleared.

Str. Cherokee, Capt. Packer, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

Str. Matilda Weems, Capt. Hall, Georgetown, Baltimore-Carolina Steamship Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,389 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Str. Cayo Gitano (Br.), 1,983 tons, Gaeter, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Str. Helredale (Br.), 2,253 tons, Mills, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Str. Blairhall (Br.), 1,587 tons, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Schooners.

Schr. Henry Lippitt, 79 tons, Hooper, C. D. Mafflitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, 37.

ROSIN—$3.00 to $2.90.

TAR—Firm, $1.60 per barrel; 7½ per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 44. Rosin, $3.20. Tar, $2.10-10c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.25, $3.25, $2.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 3
Rosin. . . . . (—)
Tar. 10
Crude Turpentine . . . . . (—)

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 3 casks; rosin, 3 barrels; tar, 4 barrels; crude turpentine, 4 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11¼c. Quotations, same day last year, 8¼.

Receipts, 5,550 bales; same day last year, 658 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 38,804 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 7,814 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—4,813 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—737 bales cotton.

Total — 5,550 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Sept. 27—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, weaker. Fancy hand picked, 65c.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts — Unsettled. Jumbos, 66c.; fancy hand-picked, 55c.; No. 1, machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Weaker. No. 1, small, machine picked, 75c.; Jumbos, 65c. per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 27.—Spanish: Farmers' Stock—Market weak and unsettled. First quality, 80c. per bu. asked; 75c. bid; off grade, 30c. to 40c. per bu.

Virginias — Farmers' Stock — Market quiet. Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; fancy hand-picked, 3c. per lb.; extra prime, 2¾c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2c. to 2¼c. per lb.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 27.)

CORN—$2.20 per sack.

PEAS—Out of season.

IRISH POTATOES—40c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 60c. to 65c. per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Dull at any price.

WOOL—Burry, 19 to 28c.; black wool, 17 to 20c; first class white wool, 27c.; free, 27c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 19c. to 20 c.; sides and shoulders, 15c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 40c.; spring, 15c. to 30c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—24c to 25c.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, September 27. — Raw sugar, steady; centrifugal, 3.75@3.89; molasses sugar, 2.98@3.12; refined, easy.

Butter—Firmer.

Cheese—Steady.

Coffee—Spots, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 6¾; Santos, No. 4, 9c.

NEW RECORDS IN WAR SHARES

Activity Unequalled Since the Movement Began—Railroad and Other Standard Rise and Fall.

New York, Sept. 27.—On a scale of activity unequalled since the inception of the movement, war shares were today lifted to higher prices establishing many new records. The demand for these stocks appeared to be largely of speculative origin.

Railroad stocks and other standard shares took part in the opening rise, but fell back later when the specialties became more buoyant. Advances in some of the war issues were so violent as at times to suggest a "corner" or at least open buying for control. Conservative Wall Street viewed the movement with undisguised misgivings.

A factor contributing in no small degree to the up-rush in the war stocks was the reported successful attack of the Allied forces in the western arena of the war.

The more noteworthy high records of the day were made by Baldwin Locomotive which showed an extreme rise of 19 1-4 to 114 3-4, General Motors 18 1-4 at 363, Republican Iron and Steel 5 3-8 at 52 3-8, Crucible Steel 7 1-4 to 103, Studebaker 5 518 at 145 1-4, American can 4 at 65 7-8, Texas company 9 5-8 at 173 5-8 and Bethlehem Steel 10 at 366.

Shares of companies participating less directly in the demand for war supplies rose to record quotations. United States Steel responded to a general inquiry by advancing 1 3-8 to 79 3-4, just a point under its top price since 1912. Total sales of 1,500,000 shares were the largest since the resumption of trading last December.

Bonds were strong, but lacked any especial feature. Total sales par value aggregated $5,870,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	44
American Beet Sugar	64¼
American Can	64½
American Car and Foundry	79
American Cities, pfd	46
American Cotton Oil	53
American Locomotive	66⅝
American Smelting	87⅝
American Sugar	109½
American Tel and Tel	125⅛
American Tobacco	228
Anaconda Copper	73⅝
Atchison	104¼
Atlantic Coast Line	108¾
Baldwin Locomotive	113⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	88⅛
Bethlehem Steel	366
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	85½
Canadian Pacific	163
Central Leather	50⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	50⅞
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	88⅛
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	21
Consolidated Gas	130¼
Crucible Steel	101¼
Erie	33
General Electric	175⅝
General Motors	363
Great Northern, pfd	121½
Illinois Central	107
Interborough Consol. Corp.	20⅜
Kansas City Southern	28
Lehigh Valley	146¾
Louisville and Nashville	121½
Liggett and Myers	225
Lorillard Co	175
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	11
Mexican Petroleum	90⅛
National Lead	66¼
New York Central	97
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	69¼
Norfolk and Western	114⅜
Northern Pacific	110¾
Pennsylvania	114
Reading	153⅞
Rep. Iron and Steel	51⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	102
Seaboard Air Line	15⅝
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	37½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	55⅞
Studebaker Corporation	141⅝
Southern Pacific	94
Southern Railway	19⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	57⅝
Tennessee Copper	57⅞
Texas Co	173
Texas and Pacific	12⅜
Union Pacific	133½
United States Rubber	52⅜
United States Steel	78⅞
United States Steel, pfd	114⅝
Virginia Copper	68
Virginia-Caro. Chem	39¾
Western Union	77⅝
Westinghouse Electric	123

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, September 27. — New higher records for the season were established today in the most active market for cotton seed oil the trade has ever witnessed. Last sales were off 1 to 22 points from the early higher point, but the close showed a net gain for the day of 21 to 29 points. The advance was due to heavy buying for outside long account on reduced crop prospects and with the strength displayed in coton. Shorts, both foreign and domestic, covered on a large scale. Sales totalled 53,500 barrels.

The market closed firm. Spot, 6.90@7.10; September, 6.90@7.10; October, 6.96@6.97; November, 6.99@7.06; December, 7.01@7.03; January, 7.04@7.05; February, 7.17@7.22; March, 7.24@7.25; April, 7.35@7.42.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, September 27. — Hogs — Weak. Bulk, 7.25@8.50; light, 7.60@8.45; mixed, 6.85@8.45; heavy, 6.60@8.25; rough, 6.60@6.80; pigs, 5.75@8.00.

Cattle—Firm. Native beef cattle, 6.10@10.40; cows and heifers, 2.90@8.40; calves, 7.25@11.00.

Sheep—Strong. Wethers, 5.60@6.55; ewes, 3.50@5.90; lambs, 6.75@9.25.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Sept. 27. — Turpentine, firm, 37¼@37½; sales, 159; receipts, 220; shipments, 294; stock, 16,534.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 656; receipts, 957; shipments, 727; stock, 67,780.

Quote: A, B, 3.30; C, D, 3.35; E, 3.40; F, G, 3.45; H, 3.47½; I, 3.50; K, 3.65; M, 4.55; N, 5.00; W G, 6.00; W W, 6.20.

REVIVAL AT WILLARD.

Successfully Conducted by Rev. William Black, Synodical Evangelist.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Willard, N. C., Sept. 27.—Rev. William Black, Presbyterian synodical evangelist, with his singer, Mr. Burr, has just closed a very successful revival meeting here. Music was furnished by Miss Madge Southerland, of Wallace. The crowds were so large that it was necessary to conduct the meeting under a tent. In all there were 71 conversions reported.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

September 28, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 72 degrees; at 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.73 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 1.8 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina — Partly cloudy and cooler Tuesday; Wednesday, cloudy.

The Port Calendar, Sept. 28, 1915.

Sun rises . . . . . 6:04 A. M.
Sun sets . . . . . 6:01 P. M.
Day's length . . . . . 11 hrs. 57 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	12:39	1:15	8:02	8:49
Southport	11:03	11:11	4:53	5:34
Masonboro Inl	10:52	11:00	4:33	5:14

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

September 27, 1915.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	today. Highest	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 3 p.m.
Abilene	pt cldy	90	72	.0
Asheville	clear	80	54	.0
Atlanta	clear	86	70	.0
Augusta	clear	92	66	.0
Birmingh	clear	90	66	.0
Boston	clear	60	48	.0
Charlest	pt cldy	88	70	.0
Charlotte	cldy	88	64	.0
Chicago	cldy	56	50	.22
Galveston	pt cldy	84	78	.0
Jacksonv	clear	84	74	.0
Memphis	clear	88	74	.0
Mobile	cl'dy	90	70	.02
Montgomery	clear	92	64	.0
New O'leans	clear	88	74	.0
New York	clear	62	46	.0
Oklahoma	clear	88	68	.0
Palestine	clear	90	72	.0
Pittsburg	pt.c'dy	60	44	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	84	68	.0
Savannah	clear	88	70	.0
Shreveport	clear	90	72	.0
St. Louis	cldy	72	68	.0
Washing'n	clear	64	50	.0

RECEPTION TO A. & M. AND MEREDITH COLLEGE STUDENTS

Annual Event in First Baptist Church at Raleigh Greatly Enjoyed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 25.—A large reception was held Friday night, September 24, in the Sunday school rooms of the First Baptist church of Raleigh in honor jointly, of the A. & M. and Meredith students.

There were about 300 A. & M. students present and a like number of Meredith students. Refreshments were served in abundance and the walls of the rooms were decorated in the colors of the two colleges. Music was furnished by the Sunday school orchestra and choir.

This is always an annual affair and always looked forward to by the whole student body.

At a meeting of the Senior class Mr. P. A. Roberts, of Red Springs, N. C., was elected business manager of the 1916 Agromeck to fill the vacancy caused by the failure of Mr. G. H. Webb to return to college. Mr. S. E. Jeanette, of Plymouth, was elected as his assistant.

Messrs. J. R. MacDougal, N. Fountaine and S. G. Crater left yesterday for Guilford College as delegates to the Y. M. C. A. convention held at that place.

NEW DORMITORY AT A. & M.

Will Soon Be Completed—Road to Be Paved to State Fair Grounds.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, Sept. 27.—The many visitors here fair week will see many changes in appearance of things around A. & M. college since last year. Hillsboro road from the college drug store to the fair grounds is being paved. A large force of convicts are now doing the grading preparatory to the paving. The large grade just at the entrance to the fair grounds has been reduced to a three-foot grade.

The actual paving will start next week, as no time can be spared, for the contract calls for the completion of the work by the 13th of October. With three-quarters of a mile to pave and in such a short time makes it necessary to keep a gang of workmen busy during the night in order to fulfill the contract.

The new dormitory that was appropriated to the college by the last Legislature is now rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupation by the 1st of October. This is a very beautiful building, costing in the neighborhood of $10,000, and is a credit to the State as well as the college. The "shacks," small two-room frame buildings that have been used by the students for the last two years owing to the inadequate amount of room, will be torn down and the students transferred to the new building.

HERE'S PROOF

A Wilmington Citizen Tells of His Experience.

You have a right to doubt statements of people living far away but can you doubt Wilmington endorsement?

Read it:

D. Benton, grocer, Fourth and Nun Sts., Wilmington, says: "Kidney trouble began after an attack of typhoid fever. The first I noticed was a dull, constant ache across my kidneys and it prevented me from getting any rest day or night. My kidneys were so congested that the kidney secretions were very scanty and burned in passage. When I got up in the morning, I felt so tired and lame that I could hardly dress myself. The least exertion played me out. My head ached and my eyes caused me a great deal of trouble. I was often so dizzy that I couldn't stand without taking hold of something to keep me from falling. I lost weight and was a physical wreck from head to feet. I tried everything, but nothing helped me and I was given up to die. Finally, I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Hall's Drug Store, and they permanently cured me. I am a strong, healthy man today and my kidneys are in good condition."

Price 50c., at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Benton had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Atlantic Coast Line

"The Standard Railroad of the South."
Bulletin of Special Round Trip Fares.
—from—
WILMINGTON

On sale every day until Sept. 30th, limited returning October 31st.

WASHINGTON, D. C. $16.00
a BALTIMORE, MD $18.00
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a—Via Norfolk and steamer, $17.50.
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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. $90.20

On sale until November 30th, limited 3 months, not to exceed Dec. 31st, 1915.

WASHINGTON, D. C. $13.10

On sale September 25, 26 and 27th; limited returning Midnight, October 15th.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA $7.50
TAMPA, FLA $9.50

On sale for all trains Sept. 28, limited returning October 5.

WASHINGTON, D. C. $16.85

On sale October 3 and 4; limited returning October 10.

NEW BERN, N. C. $2.90

On sale October 5, 6, 7, and 8; limited returning October 10.

STATE CAMP, FLA. $21.45
(Near Jacksonville.)

On sale October 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 13 and 14, limited returning October 30. May be extended to November 30, by depositing and paying 50 cents.

SANFORD N. C. $3.80

On sale October 13, 14 and 15; limited returning October 16.

WASHINGTON, D. C. $13.10

On sale October 15 to 19, inclusive; limited returning October 31st. Limit will be extended until November 15th, upon payment of $1.00 at Washington.

RALEIGH, N. C. $4.75

On sale October 16 to 23, inclusive; limited returning October 25. Fare includes admission to Fair Grounds.

For schedules, reservations and any further informaton, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. AUKER, Ticket Agent of the

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The Progressive Railway of the South.
Bulletin of Special Round Trip Rates, in Effect From Wilmington.

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On sale for all trains September 28th; limited returning Midnight, October 5th, 1915.

STATE CAMP, FLA. $21.45
(Near Jacksonville, Fla.)

On sale October 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14; limited returning Midnight, October 30th. Limit will be extended to November 29th, by depositing ticket and paying 50 cents.

RALEIGH, N. C. $4.75

On sale October 16 to 23rd. Limited returning midnight, October 25th. Fare includes one admission to State Fair Grounds.

For tickets Pullman reservations, or any information, call 'phone 178, or apply to Agent.

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VERY LOW ROUND TRIP FARES VIA
SOUTHERN RAILWAY
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DATES OF SALE

March 1st to November 30th, 1915.

Final return limit will be three (3) months from date of sale, not to exceed December 31st, 1915.

Low round trip fares apply as follows:

Raleigh, N. C. $37.95
Durham, N. C. 36.95
Burlington, N. C. 35.25
Chapel Hill, N. C. 36.95
Oxford, N. C. 37.25
Goldsboro, N. C. 30.29
Selma, N. C. 39.35

Fares from all other points on same basis.

Fares for tickets routed one way via Portland, Seattle or Victoria at higher rates.

Stop-overs will be permitted on both going and return trip at any point within limit of ticket.

The Southern Railway can give you choice of several scenic routes from which to select, going one way and returning another; also free side trips are included from several points. Through connections and good train service via Memphis, St. Louis, Chicago and New Orleans. Through Tourist car from Washington, D. C., to San Francisco, daily, via New Orleans andthe Sunset Route.

Let us help you plan your trip, make your Pullman reservations, etc.

For further information, call on any Southern Railway Agent, or write.

O. F. YORK,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
mh29-m,sa-tf Raleigh, N. C.

$2.90 Excursion to Newbern

On account of the Eastern Carolina Fair at Newbern, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets to that point for all trains on Oct. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, at $2.90 from Wilmington, and proportionately reduced fares from intermediate points, limited returning on any train up to and including Oct. 10.

For schedules and further information,

'PHONE 160.

THROUGH PULLMAN CAR ON EXCURSION TO FLORIDA.

The Atlantic Coast Line will operate a sleeping car leaving Wilmington 3:45 P. M., Tuesday, Sept. 28th, which will arrive Jacksonville at 7:15 Wednesday morning, and sell excursion tickets at $7.50 to Jacksonville and $9.50 to Tampa, limited returning any day up to Oct. 5th. Tickets will also be sold for train leaving Wilmington at 5:25 A. M. Tuesday and arriving Jacksonville 7:15 same evening.

Proportionately low fares from all Atlantic Coast Line points in North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina.

For Pullman reservations on either train,

'PHONE 160.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective Sept. 13, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Soutnern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 81. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia, and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to recieve outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 80. 12:25 A.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 83. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 82. 5:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 61. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 58. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Pullman Cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P. M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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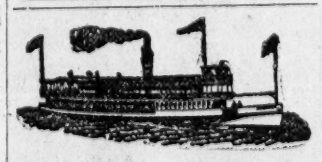

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10:00 A.M	9:15 A.M.
11:30 A.M	10:45 A.M.
1:10 P.M.	12:15 P.M.
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DESCRIBES THE FIRE ON LINER SANT' ANNA

Many Persons, Overcome By Gases, Were Revived

Transfer of 500 People From Burning Vessel Without Loss of Life or Injury—Explosion Occurred at 7 O'Clock at Night.

Naples, (via London), Sept. 27.—Captain Pavy, commander of the Fabre Line steamship Sant' Anna has made the following statement to the authorities here regarding the fire in the cargo of the steamer while on her way from New York to Italy which obliged the vessel to put in at the Azores:

"At 7 o'clock at night Italian reservists were playing cards over hatch No. 2 when an explosion occurred. Immediately afterward the quarters where the reservists were sleeping, an adjoining compartment as well as one in the passage way, were affected by smoke or vapor, which is described in an affidavit made by the reservists as asphyiating gas.

"The captain immediately sent out S. O. S. calls and ordered the life boats made ready and all passengers on deck. In a subsequent inspection he found that forty persons had been overcome by gas fumes; they were soon revived. He gave orders for getting the fire under control and sent officers among the reservists, who urged them to behave like Italian soldiers in the face of danger, as they must be relied upon to preserve order.

"Shortly, a second outburst of smoke fumes occurred. The heat was so intense that the deck plates were considerably warped. The steamer Ancona arrived eight hours after the fire started and it is remarkable that not a single life was lost or a person injured among the 500 transferred to the Ancona.

"Later many vessels answered the wireless call, but were informed that assistance was no longer required. The discipline among the passengers was excellent, considering the heavy sea."

Captain Pavy has in his possession 18 pieces of fuse which were found after the fire was extinguished. It has been impossible up to the present to inspect the cargo to ascertain the damage.

GERMAN MOVEMENT IN EAST WEAKENS

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the Niemen affluents. Simultaneously they are continuing their advance southeastward from Novogrodek in the direction of Nessvige and Slutsk in an endeavor to reach the highway from Slutsk to Bobrysk, as a movement directly at Minsk from the right bank of the Niemen from Podgurie as well as from Nesterka, would bend the front considerably and might expose the German armies to attacks at their rear or their flank.

ARGUMENTS TO SUSPEND COURT'S ORDER HAVE BEEN COMPLETED

Decision in Pittsburgh Election Frauds Case to be Handed Down Later.

Pittsburgh, September 27. — Arguments upon the petition to suspend the order already granted to bring in ballot boxes from 58 districts and make a recount of the votes cast in last Tuesday's primary election, were completed before a full bench in Common Pleas Court here today. A decision will be handed down later.

County authorities failed this afternoon in their effort to get from the police the custody of Charles McChesney, a former city fireman, who was arrested on a charge of breaking open a ballot box in the first ward, and destroying part of the contents. A preliminary hearing on the petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Common Pleas Judge L. L. Davis remanded McChesney to the custody of the police department to await a hearing tomorrow morning in police court, and ordered that the hearing on the writ be continued until tomorrow afternoon.

At the hearing tomorrow morning, Edward Weilersbacher, arrested near Gordonsville today as a result of an alleged confession made by McChesney, will also be arraigned, according to the police. Weilersbacher is expected to arrive here tonight. An investigation of the alleged election frauds in Allegheny county probably will be made by the grand jury.

AUTOMOBILE DRIVER BURNED.

Narry Grant Will Not be Able to Take Part in Races for Astor Cup.

New York, Sept. 27.—Narry Grant, noted automobile driver and twice winner of the Vanderbilt cup race, was so badly burned today while contesting in the elimination trials for the Astor cup race at the Sheepshead Bay track, that he will not be able to enter the contest next Saturday.

Grant's automobile caught fire while traveling 100 miles an hour and Grant and his mechanician were enveloped in flames. They stopped the machine and jumped out, but Grant was severely burned on the legs and arms and was taken to a hospital. The mechanician escaped with slight burns.

Those who qualified for the Astor cup race today were Wilcox, Oldfield, Rickenbacher, Cooper, Resta, Atken and Haupt. Resta made the best time, speeding at the rate of 106 miles an hour.

$30,000 IN PREMIUMS OFFERED.

For Annual Exhibition by National Horse Show Association.

New York, Sept. 27.—Premiums amounting to $30,000 were announced today by the National Horse Show Association for its 30th annual exhibition beginning November 6th. Prize lists for 146 competitions were issued to 5,000 owners of show horses throughout the United States. The number of classes to be judged is larger than the last exhibition and with one exception the largest since the first horse show was given in 1883.

A number of special prizes have been added to the list. For the first time a woman has been invited to become one of the judges. She is Lady Beck, Canadian director of the International Horse Show Association, an English woman who rode her own hunter in the last show here.

ney Dreyfuss, of the Pittsburg National League club, announced today that Edgard Collins, an outfielder, had been released by the weaver route to the Boston Braves.

CHAS. B. MUNDAY ON TRIAL FOR CONSPIRING TO WRECK BANK

Thirteen Other Persons to Be Tried Later on the Same Charge.

Morris, Ill., Sept. 27.—Charles B. Munday, charged with conspiracy to wreck the LaSalle Street Trust and Savings bank of Chicago, was placed on trial here today in circuit court. The case was transferred from Cook county to this, Grundy county, as Munday alleged that Chicagoans were prejudiced against him.

The charges which led to the indictment of Munday, who is said to have been the financial genius of the bank, form one of the most sensational chapters in the banking history of Illinois. The bank was organized by Mr. Munday and formerly United States Senator William Lorimer. When the bank failed in June, 1914, there followed the collapse of nine other banks and trust companies of the so-called Lorimer string.

Fourteen persons were indicted last winter, the chief of them being Mr. Munday, the second vice president, and Mr. Lorimer. The state chose to prosecute Mr. Munday first and, on his declaring that his association with the political fortunes of Mr. Lorimer precluded a fair trial in Chicago, a change in venue to this city was granted.

A grand jury at Chicago which considered the case for more than three months, brought in a report last October in substance as follows:

The fourteen persons named in indictments were alleged to have looted the Lorimer-Munday institutions, of almost $2,500,000, with violation of practically every banking law in the State.

It was charged that assets of the LaSalle Street Trust an dSavings bank had been stolen to organize other banks in the Lorimer-Munday chain; that checks had been "kited" in carrying out the programme and that the parent bank had been insolvent for some time prior to the collapse.

Valuable securities held by financial institutions in which Lorimer, Munday and associates became interested, were alleged to have been replaced by securities known to be of worthless or doubtful character.

The twelve others indicated were officers of the Lorimer-Munday banks, namely, H. W. Huttig, Charles G. Fox, Thomas McDonald, John K. Seagrave, Edwin J. Potts, Abraham Levin, Paul Hazard, John H .Rife, Frank H. Novak, Charles W. Novak, John B. DeVoney and William Lorimer, Jr. The trial of Munday is expected to adduce testimony bearing on all of the cases to be tried later.

TO MAKE EXPERIMENTS WITH STEAM TURBINES IN SUBMARINES

Internal Combustion Engines Give Trouble Difficult to Overcome.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Steam turbines may be substituted for gasoline or oil engines for surface cruising in future American submarines. Plans are under consideration at the Navy Department, it was learned today, for steam experiments with boats of the "G" class now building. As yet no definite decision has been reached, but the fault of internal combustion engines for submarine work has been so difficult to overcome that rnavy designers are seriously seeking a substitute.

A steam propelled submarine was built for the navy more than a decade ago, but proved so hot when the fires were lighted that she was not accepted and never left her dock. Many French submarines employ steam engines successfully and it is understood that a scheme, details of which have not been made public, has been evolved by American navy engineers which promises even better results.

Engine difficulties of both submarines and aeroplanes led to the recent visit of Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer, to Secretary Daniels. A statement of the problems encountered is being prepared for Mr. Ford's information.

NEW YORK PRIMARIES TODAY.

Nominations to be Made for the Lesser Offices of the City.

New York, Sept. 27.—Tomorrow is primary election day in New York and although no mayor or governor is to be selected there is decided interest in the party contests for nominations for the lesser offices to be filled. These include six justices of the supreme court, a representative from the 23rd congressional district, assemblymen to the state legislature, aldermen to the local legislative body and the sheriff and district attorney.

The most spirited contest is for the Republican nomination for district attorney in New York county. Charles A. Perkins, the incumbent, is opposed by Frank Moss, former assistant district attorney under Charles S. Whitman. Mr. Perkins has the regular Republican party designation but Mr. Moss is fighting for a place on the ticket. He also is the unopposed candidate of the Progressives and the independent Democrats. Judge Edward Swann is the unopposed candidate of the Democratic organization.

JUDGE HUNT HEARS ARGUMENTS.

For Separate Trials of Indictments Against New Haven Directors.

New York, Sept. 27.—Federal Judge Hunt heard argument today on the application of Lewis Cass Ledyard, Charles M. Cratt, Charles F. Brooker, Henry K. McHarg and Frederick F. Brewster, for a separate trial on indictments, charging them with other directors or former directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad with violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Delancey Nicoll, in behalf of the defendants, said they should be included in the class with George F. Baker and four other defendants who already have been granted separate trials.

At the conclusion of the argument, Judge Hunt announced that he would render his decision on the motion within 48 hours. He set the trial of the New Haven men for October 13th.

APPEALS FROM DECISION.

German Who Tried to Blow Up Bridge Appeals to Federal Court.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 27.—Werner Horn, the German army reservist who tried to blow up the international bridge between Canada and the United States at Vanceboro, Me., last February, today filed an appeal from the decision of the Federal court in denying his release on a writ of habeas corpus.

The prisoner questions the regularity of the extradition proceedings by which he was removed from Maine to this state and also the refusal of the court to permit him to invoke the law of nations of present a commission as an officer in the German army in defense of his actions.

The appeal will be heard by the Federal court of appeals, which begins a sitting here next Monday.

STRUGGLE UNPRECEDENTER SINCE WAR BEGAN MAY BE ON

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of satisfaction that the long expected attack has finally begun and there is complete confidence regarding the outcome.

The Lokal Anzeiger reproduces the views held in official quarters where their offensive is regarded as having already failed. It also is pointed out officially that the necessary reserves have been brought up in time at the threatened points and that there is no prospect of the Anglo-French breaking the German lines.

It is added that the French and British suffered heavy losses, especially the latter at Loos, and that not the slightest ground for anxiety exists.

Regarding further developments, German officials expect that the attacks will continue to be violent in character for several days, but they declare that the ultimate purpose of breaking the German lines can already be set down as an impossibility.

The Kreuzzetung says:

Allied Successes Insignificant.

"Regarding the French and British reported successes, they are without significance from a military point of view.

They bring the enemy no nearer to their object of breaking the German lines. Perhaps, it is even more remote than ever, now that the advantage of surprise on the first attack is lost to the enemy. Those who have been fighting in the west are all confident that no breach is possible."

FINISH VICTORY IN 20 MINUTES

Germans Dazed by Attack of French on Trenches North of Perthes.

Paris, Sept. 27.—Reports from the front say that only twenty minutes was required for the French infantry to complete the victory prepared for by sixty hours of violent shelling and overrun the first line of the German trenches north of Perthes, in Champagne. While awaiting the moment for the attack the French soldiers rested behind their lines, joking and putting their arms in perfect order.

The bright glow from the slow glare of exploding projectiles lighted up the entire zone of action during two nights.

"After a few hours intense fire our hopes that our batteries were dominating the situation were transformed to certain conviction," says a founded officer, who took part in the battle.

"The moment for the attack was set for dawn. When the charge was sounded whole battalions, reinforced by reserves, bounded forward. The rush was so precipitate that the Germans still alive and unwounded in the battered works seemed dazed and unable to resist. They were disarmed and pushed back for our reserves to pick, while the attacking line went on. There was little or no musketry. The bayonet did most of the work.

The proportion of dead to wounded and prisoners was large. What was left of entire companies threw up their hands at the sight of the deadly execution by the Zouaves."

The general impression of wounded men brought from the field is that the affair of Perthes is only a beginning of the French effort.

Parisians received news of the victory soberly. The newspapers issued unusually large editions. Officials bulletins were read from the stages of theatres last night and the orchestras playing the "Marseillaise." There were no other public demonstrations.

A report was spread that many trains carrying wounded soldiers weer arriving outside Paris, but later it was learned that these trains were filled with German prisoners.

BRITISH SHIP WAS SUNK.

Germans Claim Attack on Belgian Coast Was Unsuccessful.

Berlin, Sept. 27. (By Wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.)—One British warship was sunk and two others were damaged in the attack by a British squadron on German batteries along the Belgian coast, especially in Zeebrugge, simultaneously with the launching of the allied new offensive movement on land, according to the German official statement of September 26. After these losses the British ships withdrew.

The official statement enumerates the capture of more than 5,000 French and British prisoners and a number of machine guns on the land fighting at various points along the front.

The foregoing claim of losses inflicted upon the British naval forces attacking the Belgian coast was omitted from the German official statement as cabled through London yesterday, doubtless having been struck out by the censor.

COUNTER ATTACKS REPULSED.

British Capture 53 Officers and 2,800 Men and Many Guns.

London, Sept. 27.—A British official communication made public tonight says:

"Northwest of Hulluch we have repulsed a number of counter attacks and inflicted heavy loss on the enemy. East of Loos our offensive is progressing.

"Our captures now amount to 53 officers and 2,800 men and 18 guns and 32 machine guns. The enemy abandoned a considerable quantity of material which has not yet been classified."

SITUATION UNMODIFIED.

The French Statement Says Fighting Around Champagne Continues.

Paris, September 27. — The French official statement made public tonight says that the situation to the north of Arras remains unmodified and that the fighting in the Champagne continues.

The statement adds that the Germans today began another offensive movement in the Argonne, but that it was completely checked and that the German losses were heavy.

CLAIM CHECK TO MOVEMENT.

German Attacks Bring Offensive Around Lille to Standstill.

Berlin, via London, Sept. 27.—The German war office announced today that the new offensive movement in the neighborhood of Lille, Northern France, had been brought to a standstill by fierce German counter attacks.

The British attack in other sectors also is said to have broken down with very heavy losses to the attacking forces. The war office says the French offensive has made no further progress between Rheims and the Argonne.

GERMAN LOSSES AT 40,000.

Military Critics Estimate as Many Killed as Captured.

Paris, Sept. 27.—Military critics estimate that the German killed and wounded in the big battles of the last two days in the Artois and Champagne regions must easily equal the number of prisoners taken. Hence they reckon the German total losses at not less than 40,000, equalling the size of an army corps.

GENERAL COUNSEL WATTS OF THE S. A. L. VISITS RALEIGH.

Craig Says There Will be No Compromise as to Tax Assessment.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 27.—Judge Leigh R. Watts, general counsel for the Seaboard Air Line, spent several hours here today on business pertaining to the pending injunction proceeding by the Seaboard against the Corporation Commission, State Treasurer and others to restrain them from the collection of taxes from the Seaboard on the basis of $20,000,000 assessment instead of the old $15,000,000 assessment. He and associate counsel insisted that there is nothing as yet that can be said as to the progress of the case.

They called on Governor Craig and also at the office of the Corporation Commission, they having, however, found that all three of the Corporation Commissioners were out of the city for the day.

Governor Craig said after the conference that there is no change in the case so far as the State is concerned and that Attorney General Bickett is ready for the hearing, if a hearing should be reached, with confidence in ability to uphold the new increased assessment. There are strong indications that the case will be settled without its reaching a hearing. At the same time State authorities say that there is not the slightest possibility of any compromise on the part of the State. Some action will be taken before Thursday, as this is the two weeks' limit fixed by agreement within which there should be some final action by the Seaboard Rir Line.

MOBILIZATION OF BULGARIA AND GREECE IS DISCUSSED

Cabinet Decides Rumania Shall Continue Course She Has Been Following.

Bucharest, Rumania, (via London), Sept. 27.—The Rumanian cabinet, at a meeting today in which the mobilization of Bulgaria and Greece was discussed, decided that Rumania should continue the course she has been following.

These new developments ,it was determined, were not a nature to cause Rumania to modify in any way the line of conduct she was pursued up to the present. Consequently, Rumanian troops will remain concentrated along the national frontiers.

The cabinet did not consider the question of establishing martial law.

GENERAL STRIKE THREATENED.

Between 4,000 and 5,000 Clothing Workers Declared Already on Strike.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Union officials tonight declared that between 4,000 and 5,000 clothing workers had obeyed their initial order to strike. Although union leaders expressed a willingness to cooperate with the manufacturers in an effort to restore peace, they made it known that if the employers did not make some move towards a peace parley by midnight tonight, a general strike call, affecting between 20,000 and 25,000 employes would be drafted.

Union leaders in other large cities were awaiting with interest the result of the labor situation here, according to representatives in Chicago who assert that a general strike of clothing makers here probably would result in similar trouble all over the country.

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CONDENSED REPORT OF CONDITION

The American National Bank

WILMINGTON, N. C.

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS THURSDAY SEPT. 2, 1915.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,611,233.56	Capital	$ 250,000.00
Overdrafts	2,236.65	Surplus and Undivided Profits	51,579.87
United States Bonds (at par)	270,000.00	Circulation	250,000.00
Bonds and Securities	65,417.50	Rediscounts	246,389.02
Banking House and Fixtures	45,662.85	Bond account	45,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	9,000.00	Reserve account	10,000.00
Real Estate	42,000.86	Due Banks	240,000.00
Cash in Vaults, Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer.	355,265.63	Deposits	1,307,847.96
Total	$2,400,816.85	Total	$2,400,816.85

W. B. COOPER, Chairman of Board.
THOS. E. COOPER, President. GEO. O. GAYLORD, Vice-President.
CHAS. E. BETHEA, Cashier.
W. C. DENNY, Assistant Cashier. E. FRED BANCK, Assistant Cashier.

STATEMENT CONDITION

The Murchison National Bank

OF WILMINGTON, N. C., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPT. 2ND, 1915.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$4,750,677.61	Capital Stock	$1,000,000.00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	810,000.00	Surplus and Net Profits	650,117.18
Bank Building	484,149.24	Circulation	750,000.00
Bonds and Other Securities	208,900.00	Special Deposit Bonds	115,000.00
Liquidation Account Southern National Bank	108,544.13	Rediscounts	230,367.58
Cash and Due by Banks	1,250,831.55	Special Reserve	21,000.00
	$7,613,102.53	Deposits	4,846,617.77
			$7,613,102.53

DEPOSITS:

Sept. 2nd, 1913 $4,158,611.18 Sept. 2nd, 1914 $4,164,472.12
Sept. 2nd, 1915 $4,846,617.77

H. C. McQUEEN, President. J. Y. GRAINGER, Vice-President.
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